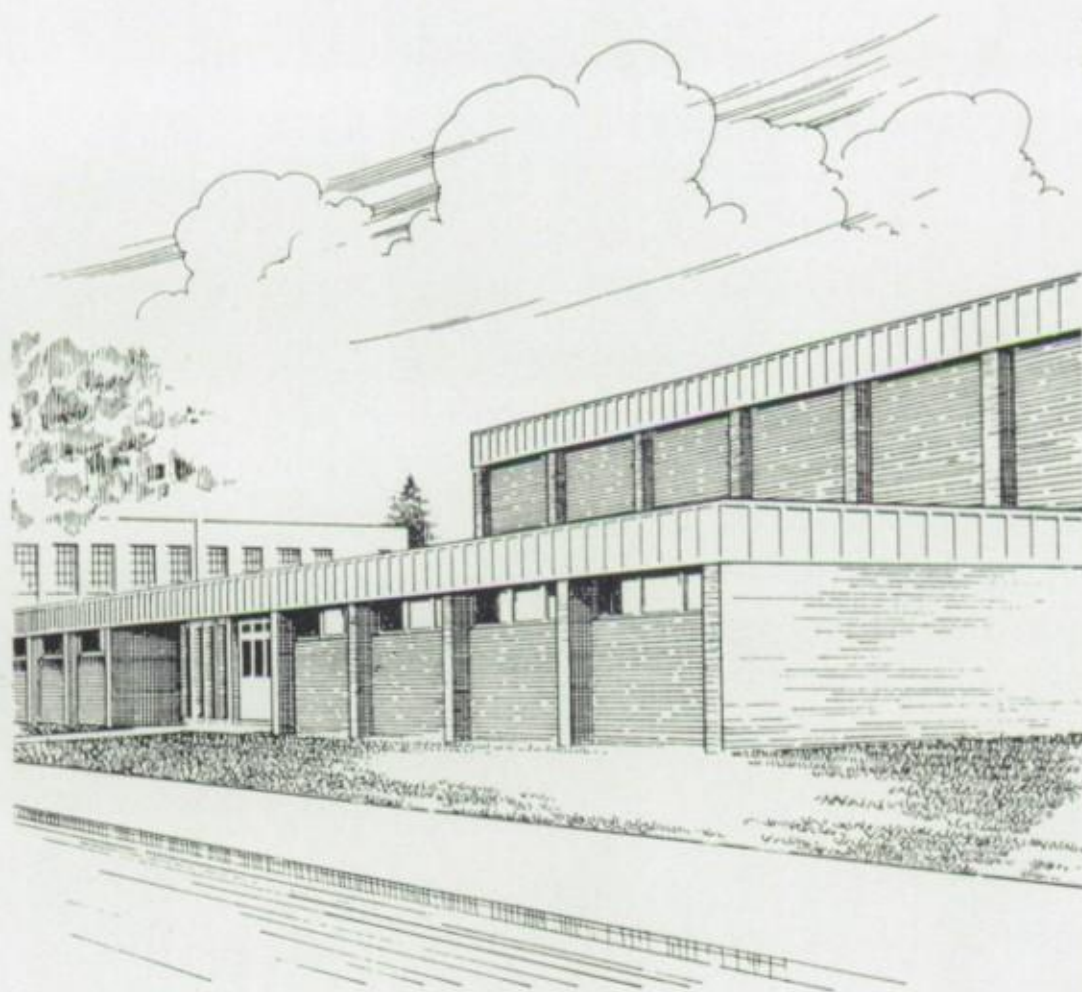


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Grades



Kindergartners Celebrate Holidays

They enjoyed dressing up for Halloween, exchanging valentines on Valentine's Day and gifts at Christmas time. During Easter the Easter Bunny became the center of interest. In May, they toured the Praire Hospital and had a mock hospital when they got back.



ROW 1: Mrs. Thompson, Mike Mayne, Mark Mayne, Leon Trappe, Tina Timm, Gene Bries, Dixie Krueger, Marcie Mielke. ROW 2: Patty Heins, Cathy Thompson, Justin Grove, Lee Zurcher, Danny Miene, Jame-setta Fousek, Sherrie Falch. ROW 3: Beth Henkes, Ricky Moellers, Lee Roy Guyer, Jason Marmann, Don Kulish, Dennis Wolter, Kenton Kishman, Chad Sweet.



ROW 1: Rodney Voss, Kris Seitz, Jeana Seitz, Lyle Byrnes, Tara West, Tom Ogle, Roger Meyer, Kristie Moritz. ROW 2: Melissa Grady, Scott Turczynski, Dawn Miller, Brian Miller, Annette Sordide, Jeremy Kurth, Shannon Hemmersbach, Kristine Gates. ROW 3: Julie Heald, Chris Ambrose, Randall Grady, Brian Berns, Brent Monroe, Beth Wachtel, Shelley Fox, Chad Wagner. ROW 4: Brent Drahm, Mary Baade, Jennifer Thompson, David Tielbar, Carl Schoulte, Lee Knickerbocker, Keary Keehner, Mrs. Thompson.

First Graders Have Exciting Year

The first graders really had a lot going on this year. They enjoyed dressing up for Halloween, and preparing a feast for Thanksgiving, which they also got to eat. They took outdoor field trips to both Bloody Run Conservation Park and Osborne. The indoor field trips they had were learning centers, which were set up in their rooms. Also, Paula Glesner, State Dental Health Hygienist, demonstrated the proper techniques on tooth brushing.

P.E. with Mr. Wiegand was a welcome interruption during the day. Another thing that rated high was planting seeds, as Chad Mielke shows. Last, but certainly not least, was the day Mr. Marting brought Larry to school in the helicopter. Everyone was so excited!





ROW 1: Timmy Bollman, Nancy Smith, David Mayne, Darlis White, Kevin Holly, Darren Scheffert, Mrs. Feller. ROW 2: Freddy Miene, Monica Tangeman, Lorin Walz, Shane Sautter, Travis Landt. NOT PICTURED: Travis Moses.



ROW 1: Shaun Ryan, Sara Henkes, Michael Schultz, Steven Radloff, Douglas Heins, Sue Doerring, Lori Johanningmeier, Mrs. Monserud. ROW 2: Gina Klotzbach, LaRee Landt, Lori Kulish, Chad Mielke, Tammy Bollman, Steven Keehner. ROW 3: Robert Pate, Jennifer Martinson, Bryan, Traetow, Juli Davis, Scott Pattison, Jody Rose. NOT PICTURED: Stacie Havelick.



ROW 1: Renae Moon, Christine Henderson, Kevin Huinker, Dwain Henkes, Carl Adney, Jeffrey Cox, Michelle Grady, Connie Elsbury. ROW 2: Larry Marting, Brian Middendorf, Peggy Thompson, Travis Drahn, Terri Ambrose, James Downing, Mrs. Drahn. ROW 3: James Haberichter, Eugene Hemmersbach, Darci Kurth, Eric Staff, Janie Johanningmeier, Annette Wright. NOT PICTURED: Tricia Darby, James Krueger.



ROW 1: Stanley Klotzbach, Paula Wiethorn, Nancy Pape, Lisa Bollman, Jacque Johanniemier, Jimmy Moritz, Kerry Seitz. ROW 2: Loren Trappe, Anissa Rhode, Lorne Byrnes, Michael Staff, Pamela Geisler, Luther Keehner, Mrs. Thoma. ROW 3: Ann LaFrenz, Terry Walter, Thad Schlueter, Jody Mueller, Timmy Sautter, Timothy Meyer. NOT PICTURED: Becky Scheffert, Ross Krambeer, Nancy Gress.

Second Grade Experience: Many Things



The second grade presented a program of five plays to their friends and mothers. All the professional actors and actresses learned it takes a lot of time, patience and cooperation to put on a play. In March, the second grade traveled to GREEN'S SUGAR BUSH to learn how maple sugar and syrup is produced. They even gave skits at the pep rallies entitled "The Future Spirit of M-F-L."

ROW 1: Jeff Meyer, Darci White, Jerry Hertrampf, Christine Bacon, Matthew Krambeer, Lance Mielke, Julie Trappe, Brent Thompson. ROW 2: Terri Smith, Ramona Guyer, Tony Brainard, Layne Tielbar, Kerrie Bossard, Elizabeth House, Eric Johanniemier. ROW 3: Karlyn Voelzke, Paul Zahn, John Turnipseed, Christopher Siegle, Tina Fousek, Kurt Neuhring. NOT PICTURED: Rex Wachtel, Darol Engelhardt.





ROW 1: Darwyn Scheffert, Tammy Ambrose, Angeila Kruse, Gwyne Kruse, Rhonda Kregel. ROW 2: Daniel Havlicek, Rodney Schlitter, Raymond Rose, Paul Knockel, Brian Pate. ROW 3: Kim Nieland, Linda Mayer, Diann Imbus, Julie Timmerman, Mrs. Vigen. NOT PICTURED: Deanna Giesler.



ROW 1: Tim Brooks, Bryce Ruroden, Scott Voss, Michael Gress, John Fousek. ROW 2: Teresa Traetow, Konnie Martinson, Suzy Burrack, Annie Keehner, Gina Hemmersbach, Mrs. Koether. ROW 3: Carla Melcher, Kim Martinson, Darrin Palmer, Scott Hanson. NOT PICTURED: Colleen Melcher, Mike Bachman.



Studios Third Graders



ROW 1: Joel Johanningmeier, Lori McNally, Jana Mueller, Dawn Schrader, Brian Pattison. ROW 2: Neil Middendorf, Carmen Weithorn, Wendy Huinker, Lynette Peters, Eric Palas. ROW 3: Kristen Koehn, Lynette Scheffert, Heidi Bruns, Lori Welsh, Rebecca Ehlers, Miss Schlein. ROW 4: Jim Henderson, Susan Wolter, David Gisleson, Melissa Fuelling.



Industrious



ROW 1: Lori Bumgartner, Colleen Hendrickson, Russell Wright, Andy Plozel, Natalie Scheffert, Rhonda Schultz, Jeff Bries. ROW 2: Roger Kregel, Danny Pape, Toni Niel, Karensa Nuehring, Lisa Vorwald, David House. ROW 3: Milo Connor, Brad Smith, Richard Asleson, Amy Meyer, Linda Sass, Valerie Pavlovec, Mrs. Kettman. NOT PICTURED: Kathy Hollman.



ROW 1: Elizabeth James, James Moellers, Natalie Jahn, Tim Berns, Jeff Downing, Sara Dettman. ROW 2: Melanie Neverman, Tami West, Steven Haberichter, Elmer Knockel, David Smith, Sonja Guyer, Mr. Olafson. ROW 3: Kevin Bruns, Rhonda Grady, Amy Fousek, Lyndean Tielbar, Jodi Welsh, Sharon Schulte. NOT PICTURED: Samantha Hollman.



ROW 1: Tim Wille, James Drier, Christie Hemmersbach, Tonya Scheffert, Cheryl Peterson, Lisa Seitz, Jeff Turczynski. ROW 2: Tim Miller, Brian Duwe, Angela Voelzke, Beth Freiling, Darcy Schutte, Kevin Melcher, Mrs. Gerdes. ROW 3: Rory Mohning, John Jordon, Karla Walz, Connie Keehner, Tim Walter, Daniel Thompson. NOT PICTURED: Lisa Kulish, Julie Walz.



Middle Grades

ROW 1: Roger Brooks, Sheryl Lestina, Tina Smith, Mary Grady, Kenneth Russett, Susan Johanningmeier, Randy Traetow. ROW 2: Mrs. Hoth, Richard Wiethorn, John Thompson, Sharon Drahm, Colleen Cahoon, Jeff Siegle, Meikka Keehner, Joan Walz. ROW 3: Lanny Looby, Mike Imbus, Jeff Krueger, Mike Melcher, Kirk Dinsdale, Kristi Timmerman, Darcy Birch. NOT PICTURED: Dan Johanningmeier.



ROW 1: Lee Jellison, Kimberly Wright, Debra Corbin, Jim Hoth, Larry Pape, Linda McNally. ROW 2: Connie Drier, Karen Downing, Kathy Johnson, Doreen Scheffert, Kimberlee Geisler, Tamara Moellers. ROW 3: Christine Pate, Daryl Henkes, Dawn Hagensick, Fred Miene, Mary Bissel, David Nieland, Diane Schoulte. NOT PICTURED: Jim Meyer, Paula Reardon.



ROW 1: Gary Peterson, Steven Pavlovac, Tom Hollman, David Hoth, Gary Bollman, Martin Horns, Stephen Levenhagen. ROW 2: Mrs. Embretson, Chad Koehn, Steven Chase, Paul Monroe, Sharon Elsbury, Rebecca Mayer, Lisa Klinkenberg. ROW 3: Randy Mohning, Kristine Bossard, Julie Roys, Jenny Schweikert, Barbara Walz, LaFae Doerring, Lisa Eehner.



Heave Ho after the big snow.



Mrs. Wirkler Helps a student with her work.





In sixth Grade they changed classrooms for various subjects. They also started extra activities. Basketball was enjoyed by everyone and they played a game of their own during halftime of one Varsity game. Band instruments were practiced too, and they gave a spring concert.

They wrote conservation essays, and Diane Begalske, Neal Baumgartner, and Deanne Palas all received prizes. To learn more about what they wrote, they took a field trip to Osborne. To finish off the year, they had a picnic and their Spring Olympics.



Sixth Graders Prepare for Junior High



ROW 1: Crystal Niel, Darryl Schlitter, Barry Houg, Clyde Collins, Doug Dreier, Todd Klingeman, Terry Johnson, Teresa Cox. ROW 2: Mrs. Augustine, Shelly Corbin, Sherri Middendorf, Laurie Keehner, Elizabeth Melcher, Lori Hemmersbach, Todd Hanson, Mrs. Oelke. ROW 3: Laurel Moore, Deanne Palas, Sara Schultz, Kim Fowler, Daniel Drahn, Dallas Landt, Kevin McKee. ROW 4: Tim Schoulte, Coleen Schlueter, Mary Knickerbocher, Beverly Freiling, LuAnn Schrandt, Kristy Bissell. NOT PICTURED: Susan Miller, George Smith.



ROW 1: Vicki Schofield, Neal Baumgartner, Daniel Voss, Terry Wille, Brenda Siegele, Barb Bruehahn, Mary Knockel. ROW 2: Laurie Landt, Julie Kruse, Terene Muller, Lenee Tielbar, Brad Kiesau, Tom Berns, Mrs. Doerring. ROW 3: Daniel Wilke, Alvin Neuhaus, Barbara Bries, Debra White, David Plozel, Daniel Burns, Bobyn Henderson. ROW 4: James Lenth, Andrea Goetze, Diane Begalske, Tom Grady, David Vogt, Kim Sass. NOT PICTURED: Ricky Miller, Linda Schlitter.





Junior High



Studying diligently.



A race well run.

Magazine sales.



Conservation Essay winners.



Magazine sales winners.



Mrs. Venter's English class portrays "The Ghost of Benjamin Sweet."





ROW 1: Donna Hemmersbach, Penny Plozel, Anne Hemesath, Toni Mueller, Brenda Tangeman, Susan Hendrickson, Jean Dundee. ROW 2: Darla Schlitter, Carol Baumgertner, Nina Kruse, Julie Bollman, Sherri Beisker, Margie Russett, Kim Radloff. ROW 3: Cressa Blumhagen, Peggy Roys, Julie Berns, Laurie Garms, Barb Schultz, Elizabeth Mayer, Sue Havelick. ROW 4: Joni Kliefoth, Lisa Connor, Carla Belschner, Penny Heins, Tammy Looby, Brenda Holly, Celeste Huinker. NOT PICTURED: Denise Willie.



Seventh Graders Have a New Beginning

Lockers, lunch rooms, and busy hall ways were a part of the scene for the Seventh Graders this year.

Class Officers: ROW 1: Kristy Balekos, President; Jean Berns, Treasurer; Lori Walter, Secretary; Ann Gerdes, Vice-President. Class Sponsors: Row2: Mrs. James, Mrs. Venter, Mr. Ottsen, Mr. Becker.

ROW 1: Joe Hertrampf, Chris Burckart, Derrick Peters, Dana Richards, Kim Kuhse, Dan Rothmeyer, Brian Dettman. ROW 2: Lee Augustine, Neil Kregel, Mark Wolter, Keith Johnson, Kurt Johnson, Mark Bries, David Smith. ROW 3: Brett Wright, Dan Schoulte, Rayne Krambeer, James Miene, Neal Horns, Ronnie Kregel, David Vorwald, Eric Goettler. ROW 4: Boyd Keehner, Tim Mueller, Ronnie Heins, Allen Kuehl, Brad Mohs, Terry Evanson, Roger Timmerman. NOT PICTURED: James Miller.





ROW 1: Kim Vangan, Lana Scheffert, Tonya Hemmersbach, Rita Lamborn, Camille Moore, LeAnn Marting, Susan Nagel, Tina Knittle. ROW 2: Kathy Walz, Debbie Lotza, Caroline Hansen, Tami Johanningmeier, Kim Schofield, Julie Peterson, Cheryl Bugenhagen, Lori Jellison, Shelly Hansel. ROW 3: Janelle Meyer, Deanna Ihde, Marsha Lestina, Lisa Burns, Barb Gisleson, Barb McCune, Bonnie Freilinger, Barb Holly, Anna Brooks. ROW 4: Jeanine Pattison, Sharon Thompson, Nancy Roys, Jodi Venter, Nan Fowler, Tammy Smith, Dawn Keehner, Bonnie Bruehahn, Lori Trappe, Michele Hazlett. NOT PICTURED: Lisa Kottman.

Eighth Graders Prepare for High School

The Eighth Graders got a feeling of High School life this year by actively participating in all of the Homecoming Festivities.

Class Officers: ROW 1: Rod Sersland, Secretary; Mark Schlitter, Vice-President; Barb Kiesau, Treasurer; Karri Gramlich, President. Class Sponsors: ROW 2: Mr. Wiegand, Miss Sedlmayr, Mr. Waterman.



ROW 1: Kevin Seitz, Dan Trappe, Troy Scheffert, Mitchell Doerring, Mark Meyer, Kendall Dinsdale, David Mueller, Larry Vorwald, ROW 2: Frank Erickson, Kevin Dundee, Rick Looby, Jeff Lee, Mark Berns, Ricky Bries, Scott Chase. ROW 3: Ricky Mueller, Steven Heins, Loren Timmerman, Dale Englehardt, Jeff Kruse, Andy Mueller, Mike Levenhagan. ROW 4: Ronald Berns, Ronald Ferguson, Marty Krambeer, Bart Fox, Mike Gilesen, Doug Bernhard, Rod Mohning, NOT PICTURED: Ron Meyer.





K. Walz wins certificate from District Spelling Contest.



Eighth Graders enjoy roller skating party.



Eighth Graders participate in the Homecoming Festivities by giving the winning skit in the pep rally and by helping to build the bonfire.



Winners of the pumpkin carving contest.

Cheerleaders in action.

Typing class.





ROW 1: Brenda Tangeman, Sue Havelick, Julie Bollman, Susan Hendrickson, Jean Berns Ann Hemesath, Denise Wille, Donna Hemmersbach. ROW 2: Julie Berns, Jean Dundee, Kim Radloff, Penny Plozel, Laurie Garms, Carol Baumgartner, Lori Walter, Celeste Huinker. ROW 3: Ann Gerdes, Kristy Balekos, Darla Schlitter, Barb Schultz, Peggy Roys, Cressa Blumhagan, Brenda Holly, Joni Kliefoth. ROW 4: Camille Moore, Dawn Keehner, Jodi Venter, Nancy Roys, Tami Johanningmeier, Janelle Meyer, Marsha Lestina, Bonnie Bruehahn. ROW 5: Debbie Lotza, Leann Marting, Karri Gramlich, Barb Kiesau, Lisa Kottman, Kim Schofield, Jeanine Pattison, Kathy Walz.

Batting for Victories

The Jr. Hi Girls Softball team did not have what you would call a busy season. But they showed their skills in playing the game throughout the year. This year the team was under the coaching of Mr. Healy, a new teacher this year. The girls in seventh and eighth each had three games each. Their season was as follows:

SEVENTH GRADE RECORD	
WON 1	LOST 2

EIGHTH GRADE RECORD	
Won 0	LOST 3

Catch it Lisa!



Pitch a good one Bonnie!





Working for Success

The Junior High Football team battled to a split season record. The usual starters were as follows: Quarterback, Rod Sersland; Left Halfback, Brad Mohs, Right Halfback, Larry Vorwald; Fullback, Andy Mueller; Ends, Mark Schlitter, David Mueller, Ron Ferguson; Tackles, Doug Bernhard, Mike Gisleson, Jeff Lee; Guards, Jeff Kruse, Troy Scheffert; Linebacker, Kendal Dinsdale.

These players also saw action: Lee Augustine, Chris Burckart, Eric Goettler, Keith Johnson, Kert Johnson, Boyd Keehner, Rayne Krambeer, Ronnie Kregel, Allen Kuehl, James Miene, Derrick Peters, Daniel Rothmeyer, Roger Timmerman, David Vorwald, Mark Wolter, Brett Wright, and Rodney Mohning.

Listen! Coach Sanger gives some advice as Mr. Waterman watches progress of the game.

WON	LOST
3	3



Let's go guys!



Watching carefully!

Cheer! Cheer! Cheer!



Jr. High Cheerleaders: Lana Scheffert, Sherri Beisker, Nan Fowler, Tina Knittle, Kim Vangen, Nena Kruse.



SEVENTH GRADE RECORD

WON
2

LOST
7



ROW 1: Mark Walter, Lee Augustine, Joe Hertrampf, Brett Wright, Daniel Rothmeyer, ROW 2: Brian Dettman, Dan Schoulte, Neil Kregel, Keith Johnson, James Miene. ROW 3: Tim Mueller, James Miller, Rayne Krambeer, Allen Kuehl, Coach Becker.

Shooting to Win



Pass it Ronnie!

ROW 1: Mark Berns, Frank Erickson, Mark Meyer. ROW 2: Loren Timmerman, Rod Sersland, Jeff Kruse, Ron Meyer. ROW 3: Ron Ferguson, Rod Mohning, Doug Bernhard, Mark Schlitter, Coach Becker.

EIGHTH GRADE RECORD

WON
3

LIST
6





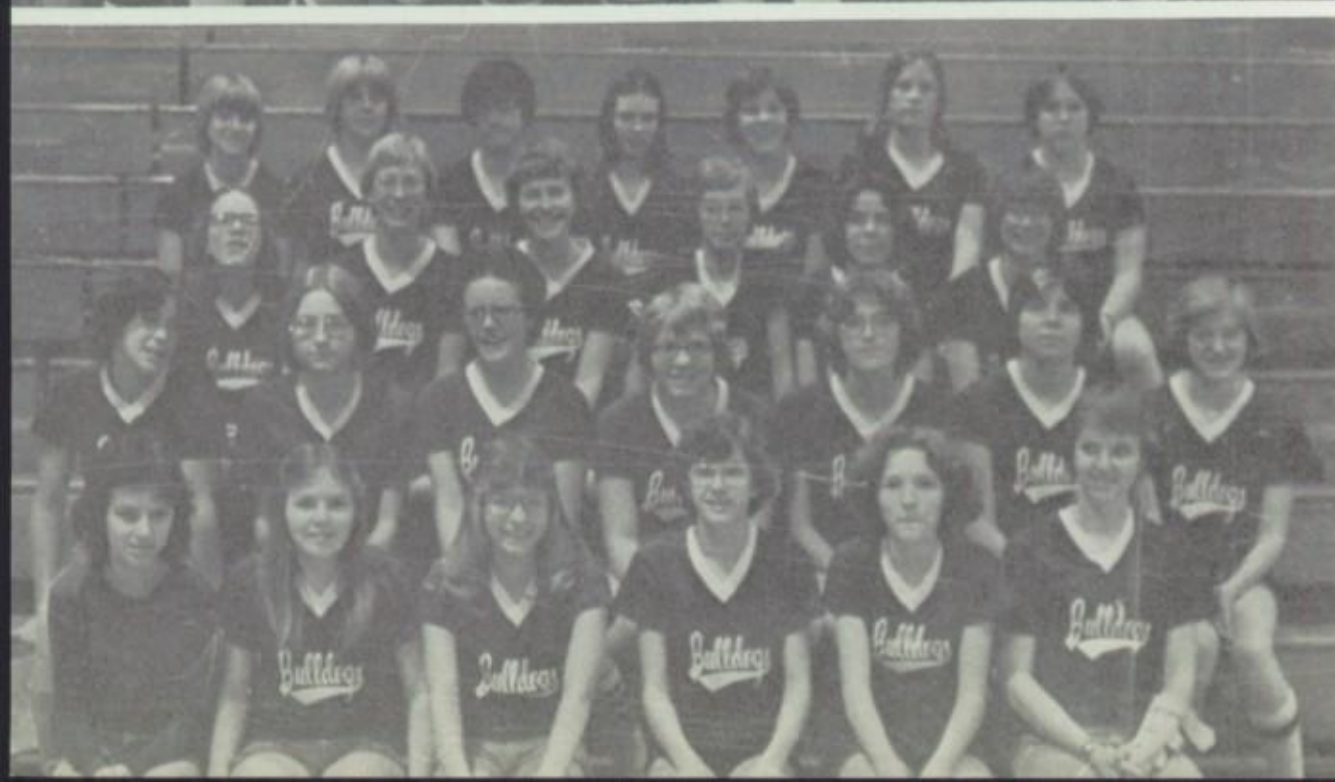
ROW 1: Rayne Krambeer, Boyd Keehner, David Vorwald, Brad Mohs, Brian Dettman. ROW 2: Eric Goettler, Lee Augustine, Roger Timmerman, James Miene. ROW 3: Ronnie Kregel, Dan Schoulte, James Miller, Brett Wright, Derrick Peters, Ronnie Heins.

ROW 1: Daniel Rothmeyer, Jon Montgomery, Troy Schefert, Michael Levenhagen. ROW 2: Doug Bernhard, Andy Mueller, Rodney Mohning.

Jr. High Runs for Fun



ROW 1: Toni Mueller, Brenda Tangelman, Sue Havelick, Julie Bollman, Jean Berns, Ann Hemesath, Carla Belschner. ROW 2: Sherri Beisker, Margie Russett, Julie Berns, Kim Radloff, Laurie Garms, Lori Walter, Celeste Huinker, Kristy Balekos. ROW 3: Darla Schlitter, Ann Gerdes, Barb Schultz, Peggy Roys, Cressa Blumhagan, Brenda Holly, Joni Kliefoth.



ROW 1: Shelly Hansel, Tina Knittle, Lana Scheffert, Tonya Hemmersbach, Rita Lamborn, Dawn Keehner. ROW 2: Anna Brooks, Barb Holly, Kim Schofield, Marsha Lestina, Jodi Venter, Nan Fowler, Carolyn Hansen. ROW 3: Camille Moore, Karri Gramlich, Barb Kiesau, Lisa Kottman, Tammy Smith, Sharon Thompson. ROW 4: Lori Trappe, Kim Vangen, Nancy Roys, Bonnie Bruehahn, Kathy Walz, Jeanine Pattison, Tami Johanningmeier.



ROW 1: David Mueller, Troy Scheffert, Chris Burckart, Ronnie Kregel, Kert Johnson. ROW 2: Larry Vorwald, Mitchell Doerring, David Vorwald, Kendal Dinsdale, Eric Goettler, Coach Wiegand. ROW 3: Ronald Berns, Andy Mueller, Brad Mohs, Boyd Keehner, Mike Gisleson, Jeff Lee.

Another Undefeated Season



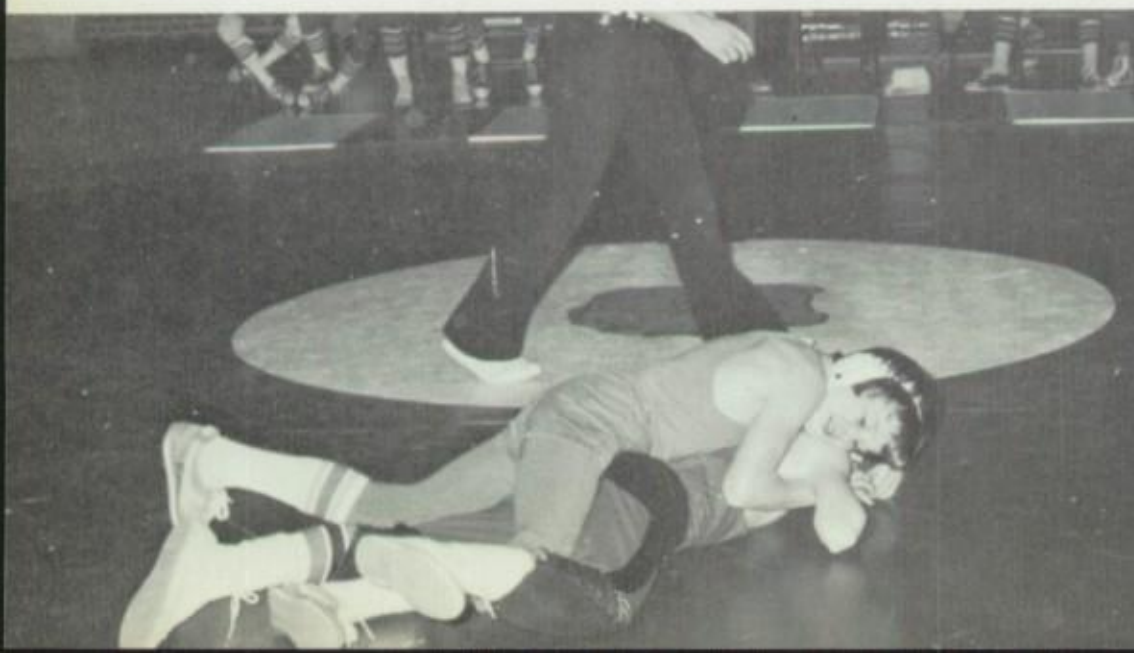
Watching carefully!

The Jr.-Hi Wrestling team finished with an undefeated season for the second year in a row under the coaching of Mr. Wiegand. Their record was as follows:

	WE	THEY
Elkader Tourney	51	20
M-F-L Tourney	68	18
DUELS		
Elkader	56	35
North	53	3
Waukon	30	20
S. Winn	28	6
W. Central	42	9
Postville	46	8
Sumner	41	16

That's the way, Troy!

Try harder, Mitch!





Eighth grade girls work hard!



Shoot Lori!



Eighth Grade Record

WINS	LOSSES
3	6

ROW 1: Deanna Ihde, Lisa Kottman, Debbie Lotza, Camille Moore, Leanne Marting. ROW 2: Jodi Venter, Bonnie Bruehahn, Kathy Walz, Barb Gisleson, Marsha Lestina. ROW 3: Coach Healy, Janelle Meyer, Barb Kiesau, Karri Gramlich, Nancy Roys, Jeanine Pattison. NOT PICTURED: Tammy Johann-
ingmeier, Dawn Keehner.

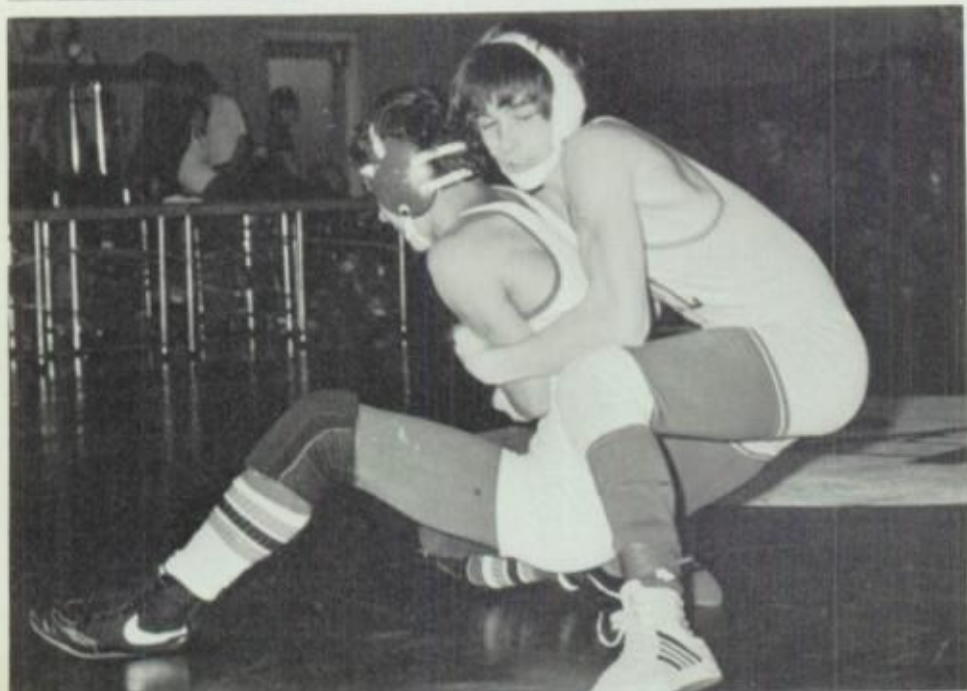
Hard Work Pays Off

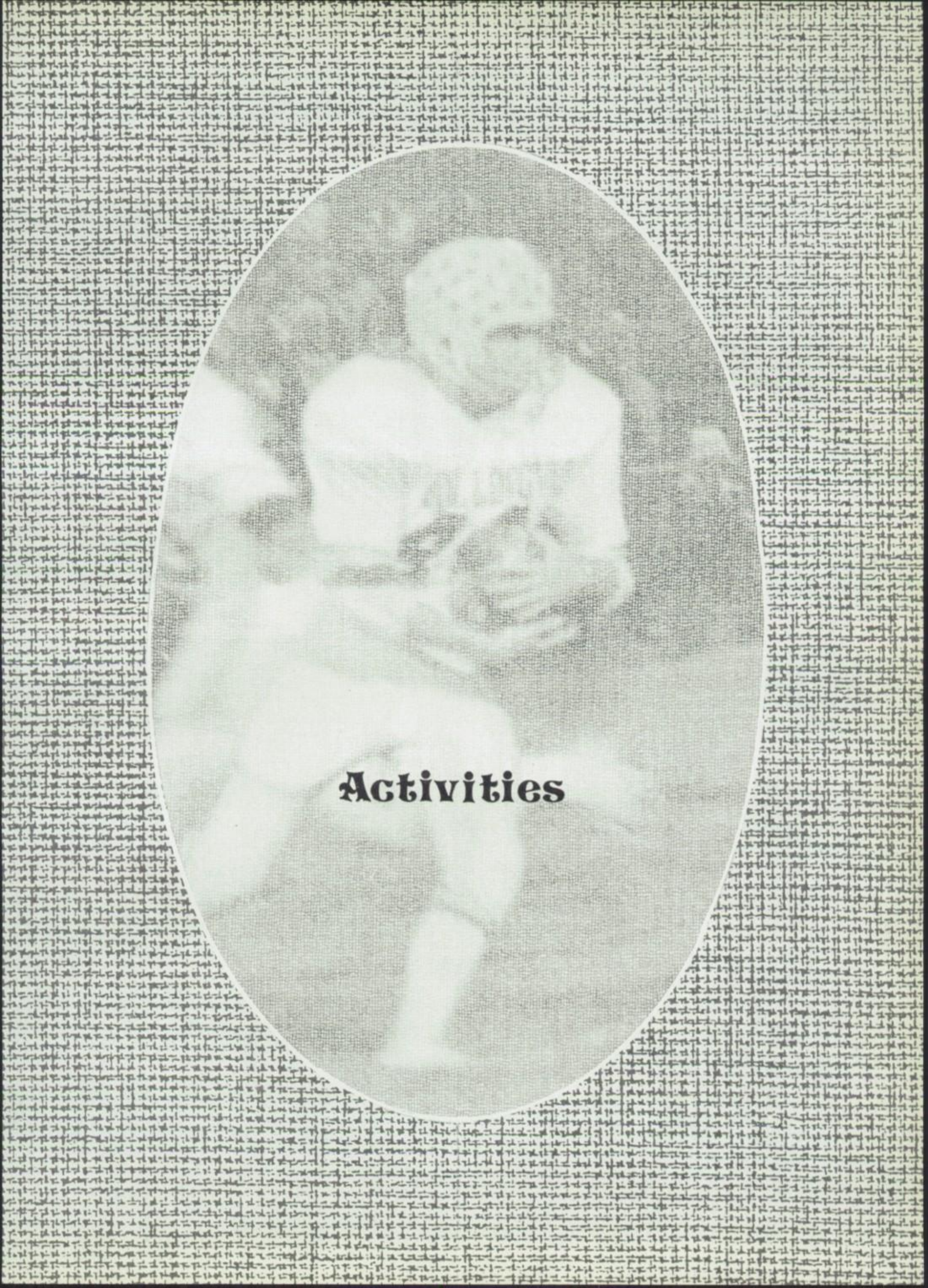
ROW 1: Peggy Roys, Brenda Holly, Cressa Blumhagen, Kristy Balekos, Jean Berns, Barb Schultz, Brenda Tangeman. ROW 2: Coach Waterman, Sue Havelick, Celeste Huinker, Ann Gerdes, Joni Kliefoth, Lori Walter, Tammy Looby. ROW 3: Jean Dundee, Penny Plozel, Kim Radloff, Laurie Garms, Julie Berns, Toni Mueller, Susan Henrickson, Julie Bollman.



Seventh Grade Record

WINS	LOSSES
6	3

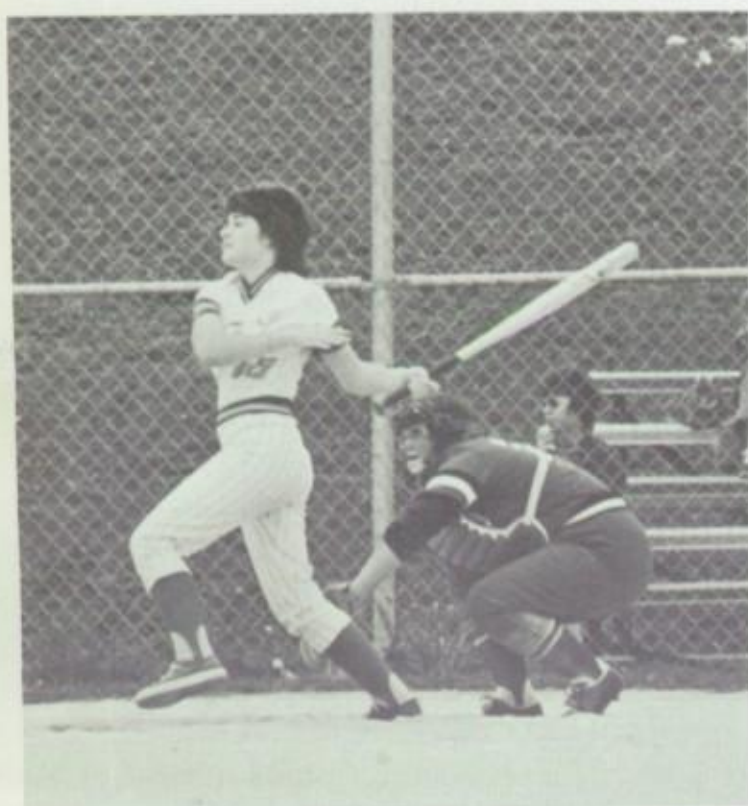




Activities



J.V. Softball ROW 1: JV Coach Begalske, Lori Marting, Lisa Halvorson, Lisa Cox, Lori Henderson, Laurie Ball, Varsity Coach Martins. ROW 2: Carol Huinker, Deb Johnson, Janelle Hansen, Joni Benzing, Jane Swanson, Lynn Marting, Brenda Schultz.



A Show of Power

A lot of hard practice and determination paid off for the J.V. softball team as they ended their summer season with 15 wins, 6 losses and 1 tie. In the fall things slowed down with 1 win marked up for the Bulldogs.



J.V. Cheerleaders Front—Leesa Reardon, Bobbi Moore. Back—Lynette Krambeer, Lisa Walter.



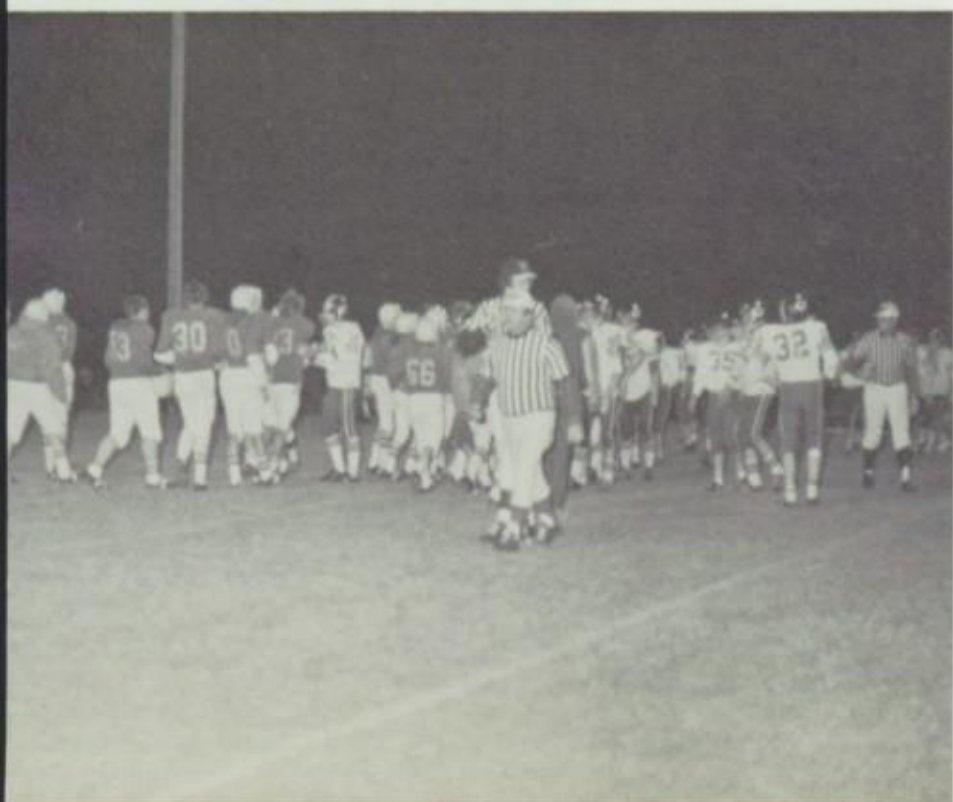


JV Football. ROW 1: Kent Seitz, Kevin Blietz, Gary Amundson, Steve Kuenster. ROW 2: Tony Mueller, Dave Hemesath, Scott Wright, Eric Houg, Tim Christofferson, Mark Rothmeyer, Tim Wright, Dale Bugenhagen. ROW 3: Coach Heald, Steve Mueller, Steve Wilke, Jan Krueger, Tim Mohs, Dave Schrader, Kurt Gerdes, Greg Gordon. ROW 4: Coach Ernest, Kevin Dinsdale, Bob Kurdelmeyer, Kevin Timmerman, Randy Moon, Dan Vogt, Bill Kiesau, Jon Vangen, Jay Venter. Not Pictured: Steve Sweet, Wayne Dundee.

Hope for the Future

The J.V. Football team went undefeated this year with a 7-0 record. In four of the seven victories M-F-L blanked their opponents. The Bulldogs outscored their opponents 162 to 32. During the season there were four injuries, but barring complications the Bulldogs look forward to many future victories.

	We	They
Western Dubuque	20	0
Postville	20	0
Fayette	28	0
Valley	12	8
West Central	40	0
North	14	6
Central Elkader	28	18





Boys Track. ROW 1: Dave Schrader, Mark Rothmeyer, Randy Gilson, Bill Walter. ROW 2: Bill Schmidt, Steve Cox, Kevin Dinsdale, Tony Mueller, Bill Kiesau, Kerry Knockel. ROW 3: Alan Hoth, Bob Kurdelmeyer, Tim James, Randy Moon, Jeff Palas, Tim Mohs. NOT PICTURED: Wayne Dundee, Gary Amundson, Don Burkhardt, Kent Seitz, Mike Wolters, Jerry Evanson, Jan Kruger.

The track team this year was made up mainly of underclassmen and only two seniors, who will be missed next year. Though the track team had a rather disappointing season, they'll be looking forward to good seasons in the future.

Sprinting for



the Finish

Girls Track Team Off and Running



The girls track team broke 8 school records this year, in which the 880 yd. Run and the Mile Run were broken twice and the 2 Mile Relay, three times. In addition, two relay teams (the 1 Mile and the 2 Mile), the 880 yd. Run, and High Jump qualified to run at state. The 2 Mile Relay team finished third and the 880 yd. Run placed eighth in state competition.

New School Records

	NEW	OLD
High Jump	5'3"	5'0"
220 yd. Dash	Lynne Landt	Tied Record 28.7
880 yd. Run	Lynne Landt	2:24.6 2:30.1
	Jill Balekos	
Mile Run	5:46.8	6:19.4
	Lori Swanson	
Distance Medley Relay	4:29.2	4:44.8
(Mary Berns, Lynne Landt, Lisa Gerdes, Cindy Glawe)		
Mile Relay	4:06.7	4:10.2
(Mary Berns, Lynne Landt, Cindy Glawe, Jill Balekos)		
2 Mile Relay	New Event	9:52.4
(Mary Berns, Lynne Landt, Cindy Glawe, Jill Balekos)		
440 yd. Relay	53.8	54.8
(Lori Marting, Laurie Ball, Lynn Marting, Carol Huinker)		

Girls Track. ROW 1: Karen Goettler, Jane Swanson, Lynn Marting, Mary Berns, Rhonda Doerring, Deb Hagensick, Cheryl Lembke, Carol Huinker. ROW 2: Lori Marting, Leesa Reardon, Deb Schlitter, Lisa Walters, Liz Houg, Laurie Ball, Deb Johnson, Lori Swanson, Lynette Krambeer—Mgr. ROW 3: Janelle Hansen—Mgr., Lisa Gerdes, Lori Wiedenmann, Lynne Landt, Cindy Glawe, Jill Balekos, Robin Zieman—Mgr.



J V S T A R S



ROW 1: Jay Venter, Tim Donlon, Randy Gilson, Ken Kuhse, Scott Doerring. ROW 2: Kevin Timmerman, Rick Moon, Darrell Lamker, Dan Vogt, Dan Sass. ROW 3: Tim Mohs, Randy Moon, Kurt Gerdes, Coach LaFranz. NOT PICTURED: Jon Vangen, Steve Mueller.

Mary grabs another rebound!

Randy takes another shot!

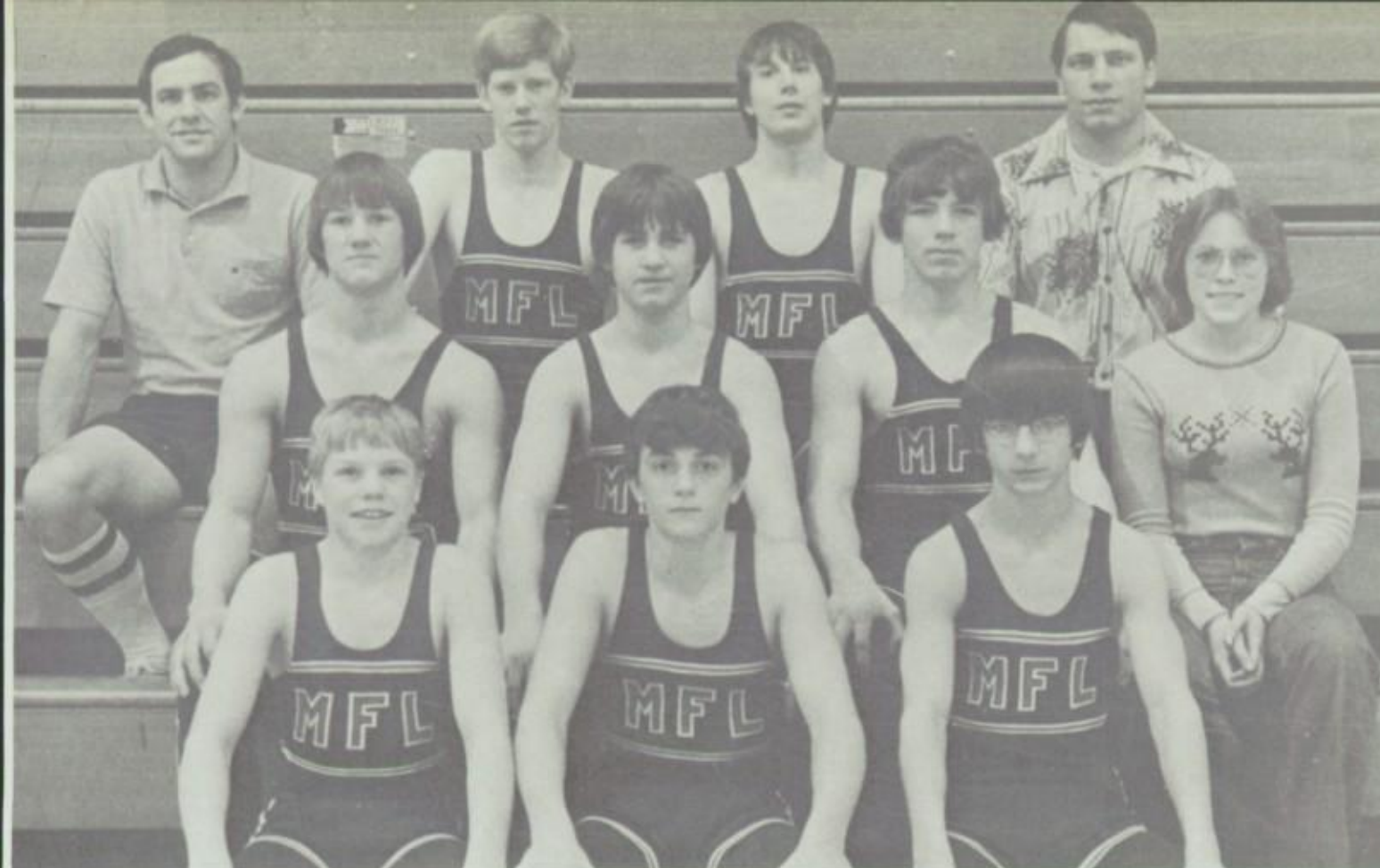


ROW 1: Carol Huinker, Joyce Berns, Robin Zieman, Deb Hagensick, Deb Hoth, Karen Goettler
ROW 2: Coach Martins, Janelle Hansen, Renee Fascher, Sally Schoulte, Joni Benzing, Kay Gramlich, Jane Swanson.

JV Record

	WINS	LOSSES
GIRLS	12	5
BOYS	14	3

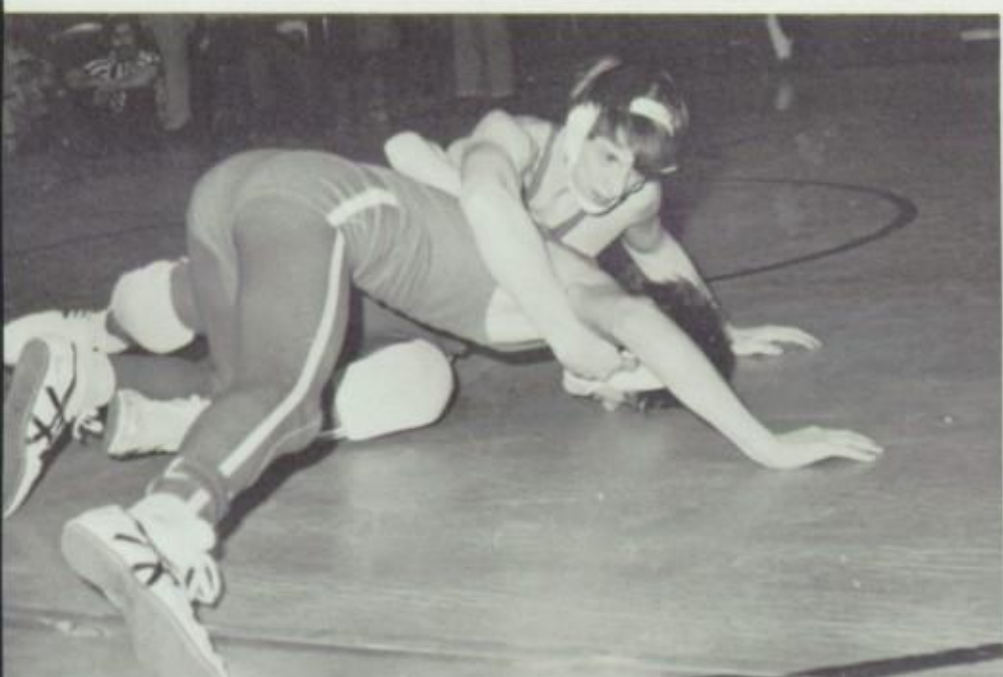




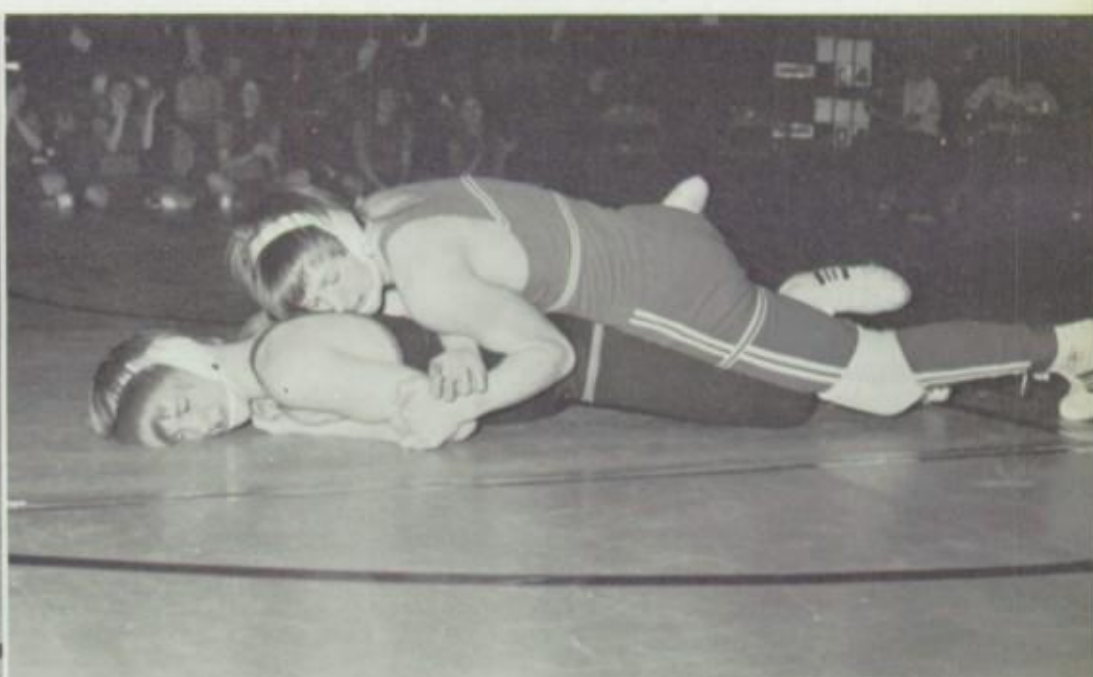
*Wrestlers End
Season
with
6 Wins,
3 Losses,
1 Tie*

ROW 1: Al Schultz, Craig Turczynski, Dan Schlitter. ROW 2: Dave Schrader, Tim Schultz, Kerry Knockel, Lori Hook, Mgr. ROW 3: Coach Wiegand, Dean Walz, Eric Houg, Coach Sanger. NOT PICTURED: Joy Meyer, Jackie Lee, Managers.

WE		THEY
15	Postville	12
15	North	21
34	Sumner	6
9	Waukon	29
27	Central	15
21	N. Winn.	6
18	Valley	12
14	S. Winn	12
6	N. Winn	6
3	Central	6



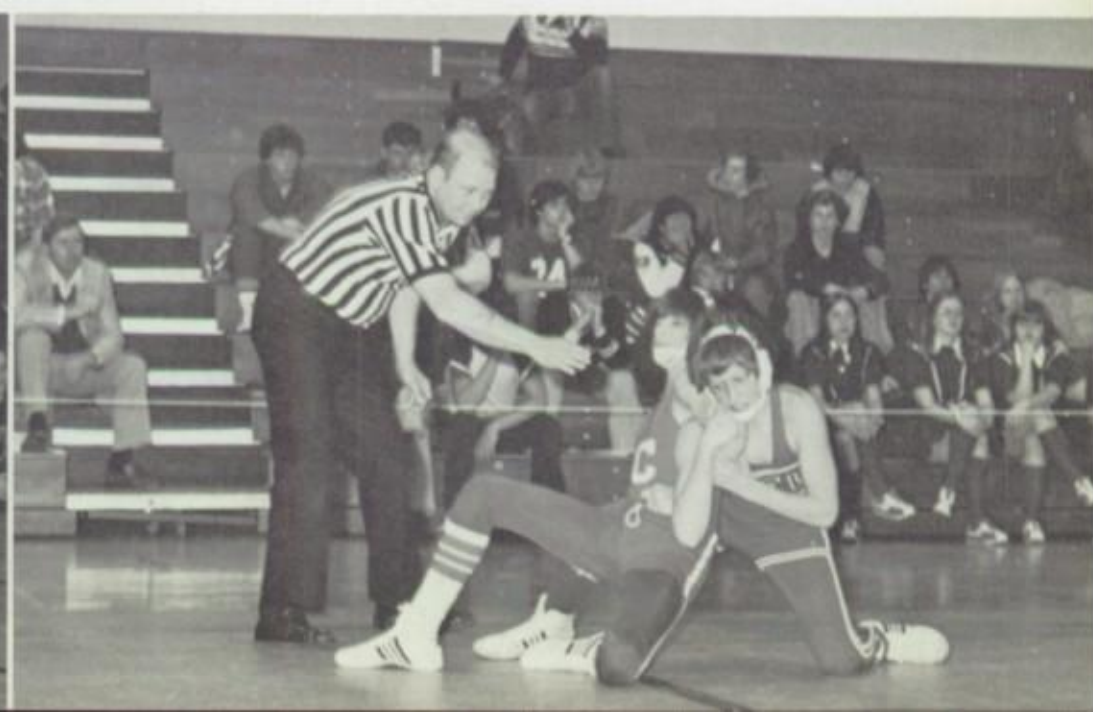
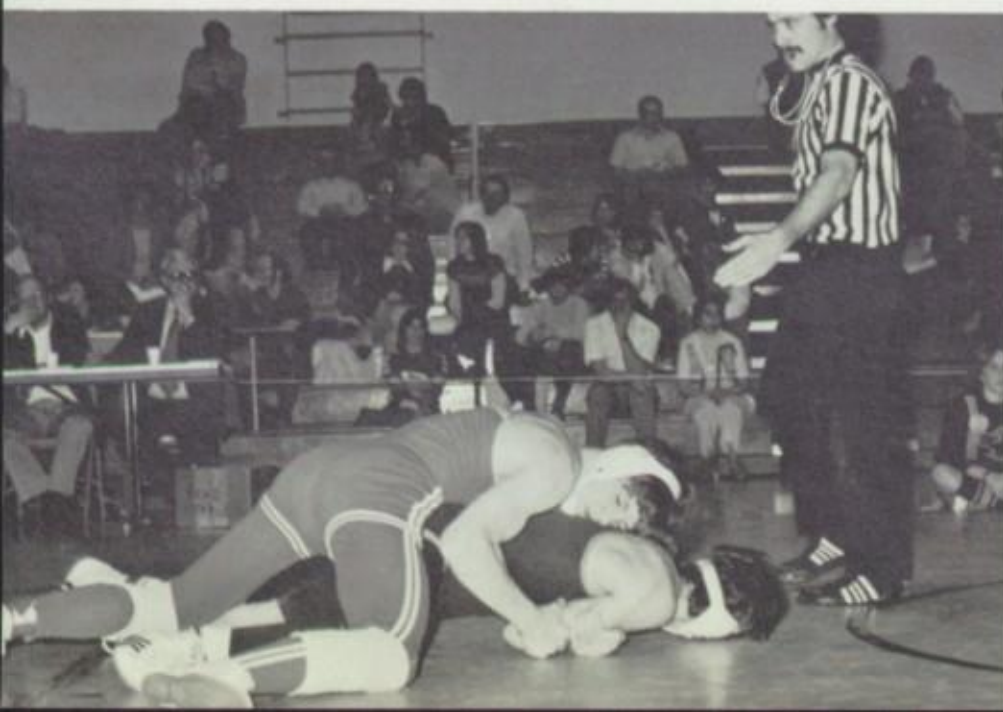
Try harder Eric!



Get 'em Dave!

That's the way Kerry!

Come on Dave!





Homecoming Is for Everyone

Junior High and Elementary students participated in and supported the 1976 Homecoming activities.

Most activity, however, was in the High School. Students took part in Cowboy and Indian Day, Sucker Day, Spirit-cake Day, and the Bonfire. Friday's parade through town was followed by each class, Junior and Senior High, giving a skit which was judged at the Pep Rally.

Although the game with Valley ended in a 18-34 defeat, spirits rose in anticipation of the dance. High school students and many alumni attended.

From candidates Kim Wirkler, Carla Johannsen, Scott Kirkeberg, Linda Hass, Larry Meyer, Lynn Kann, Cathy Klima, Steve Cox, Mick Ferguson, and Bill Schmidt, Carla and Larry were elected Queen and King. Larry, injured in the game, was unable to attend the dance. His parents accepted his crown while escort Dennis Wagner stepped in for the Royal Dance.







Mark Turner
Right Half



Steve Cox
Fullback



Mick Ferguson
Left Half



Steve Thompson
Mgr.



Steve Possehl
Right End



Kevin Johnson
Quarterback



Jim Olson
Center



Larry Meyer
Quarterback



Tim James
Left End



Bill Schmidt
Right Tackle



Scott Kirkeberg
Right Guard



Lester Wright
Center



Bill Kiesau
Left Guard



Brad Hoth
Left Tackle



The rest of the football roster included: Jon Vangen, Jay Venter, Tony Mueller, Tim Mohs, Tom Schultz, Dan Vogt, Steve Mueller, Dan Tielbar, Wayne Dundee, Bob Kurdelmeyer, Kent Seitz, Steve Kuenster, John Augustine, Jan Krueger, Eric Houg, Eric Smith, Mark Rothmeyer, Tim Wright, Kurt Gerdes, Chris Houg, Kevin Blietz, Steve Wilke, Greg Gordon, Gary Amundson, Steve Sweet, Dan Moon, Jay Halvorson, Tim Christofferson, Kevin Timmerman, Kevin Dinsdale, Dale Bugenhagen, Randy Moon, Dave Hemesath.

The team voted for individual awards. Most Valuable Player was Awarded to Larry Meyer, Most Improved to Mark Turner, Most Guts to Steve Cox, Mr. Hustle to Larry Meyer, and Big Hit to Jay Halvorson and Lester Wright.

1ST TEAM ALL-CONFERENCE
Mark Turner, Defensive Back
2ND TEAM ALL-CONFERENCE
Steve Cox, Linebacker
Larry Meyer, Offensive End
1st Team All-Registerland
Mark Turner, Defensive Back

Bulldogs Show Determination





ROW 1: T. Schweikert, T. Schultz, S. Mueller, J. Halvorson, T. Mueller, L. Kliefloth, J. McCune, E. Houg.
 ROW 2: B. Kiesau, D. Hemesath, E. Smith, B. Hoth, C. Meyer, K. Johnson, D. Tielbar, A. Hoth. ROW 3:
 K. Slietz, K. Dinsdale, J. Krueger, S. Thompson, J. Venter, J. Augustine, P. Bollman, S. Kirkeberg, B.
 Schmidt. ROW 4: S. Possehl, D. Vogt, J. Olson, C. Houg, M. Turner, L. Meyer, G. Lenth, D. Wagner, M.
 Ferguson, T. James.

Lettermen and Letterettes

ROW 1: L. Houg, J. Meyer, D. Dettmann, L. Scheffert, L. Begalske, G. Drallmeier, J. Lee, C. Huinker.
 ROW 2: W. Sersland, L. Swanson, V. Vangen, B. Begalske, L. Hass, C. Klima, D. Rothmeyer, C. Jo-
 hannsen. ROW 3: C. Schoulte, L. Gerdes, L. Landt, A. Kruse, L. Klinkenberg, C. Glawe, R. Knockel, S.
 Havlicek, J. Balekos.



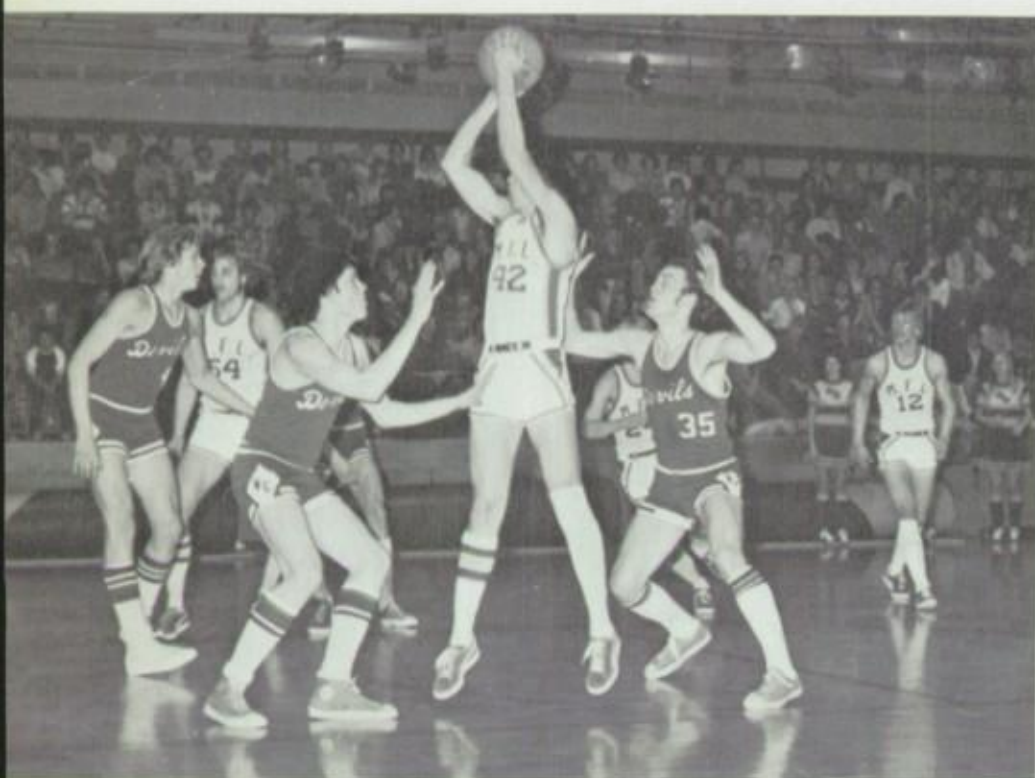
Larry Meyer Ready to pass.

Mark Turner carries the ball for M-F-L.





ROW 1: Coach Ernst, Patt Bollman, Larry Meyer, Mick Ferguson, Steve Possehl, Dennis Wagner, Mark Turner, Tim James, Coach LaFrenz. ROW 2: Todd Mielke, Mgr, Rick Moon, Jay Venter, Gary Lenth, Lanny Kliefoth, Jim McCune, Steve Thompson; Mgr.



Varsity Eagers

The M-F-L Boy's Basketball Team had a record of 10 wins and 7 losses in the season of '77. They became sectional champions by beating Kee High 68 to 65 and then Cresco 75 to 55. They advanced to the district and lost to Tripoli 47 to 64.

1ST TEAM ALL-CONFERENCE: Steve Possehl, Mick Ferguson. Honorable Mention: Larry Meyer. 1ST TEAM ALL-REGISTERLAND: Steve Possehl. Honorable Mention: Larry Meyer. Special Mention: Mick Ferguson. HONERABLE MENTION ALL-STATE: Mick Ferguson





The M-F-L girls Basketball team ended their season in '77 with 10 wins and 13 losses. They were the sectional consolation winner. Brenda Begalske was voted Most Valuable Forward by the team and Cathy Schoulte was voted Most Valuable Guard.

Share Ten Wins

ALL-CONFERENCE: 2nd Team: Cindy Glawe, Lynne Landt.
Honorable Mention: Brenda Begalske, Cathy Schoulte.

ROW 1: Mary Berns, Linda Begalske, Liz Houg, Cindy Glawe.
ROW 2: Lisa Cox, Sally Havlicek, Brenda Begalske, Rogeta Knockel, Jill Balekos. ROW 3: Coach Martin, Lisa Halvorson, Amy Kruse, Cathy Schoulte, Lisa Gerdes, Lynne Landt, Coach Ottsen. NOT PICTURED: Lori Swanson.



State Champions!!!

EXPLORER ALL-CONFERENCE

1st Team: Randy Fuelling (P);
Scott Kirkeberg (OF); Larry
Meyer (2B); 2nd Team: Tim
Schultz (C).

UPPER IOWA ALL-CONFERENCE

1st Team: Randy Fuelling (P); Randy Vogt (OF); Larry Meyer (2B); Dennis Wagner (P); Mick Ferguson (OF); 2nd Team: Scott Kirkeberg (C).

ALL-N.E. IOWA DISTRICT

1st Team: Randy Fuelling (P);
2nd Team: Larry Meyer (2B);
3rd Team: Tim Schultz (C).

ALL-STATE

2nd Team: Randy Fuelling (P);
4th Team: Larry Meyer (2B).



Coach Heald was named Coach of the Year of the N.E. Iowa District.



The first team state championship ever achieved in our school's history was won by the M-F-L Baseball team. They were 1976 Class A Summer Baseball State Champions. The state tournament climaxed a very good season of 43 wins and only 6 losses. They advanced to state by beating Postville, Valley, Kee High, and Fayette to win the sectional; Don Bosco and Calamus for the district championship; and Grundy, Rock Valley, and St. John Bancroft to win the state championship.

ROW 1: Steve Thompson, Mgr.; Jay Venter, Steve Mueller, Tobin Schweikert, Lanny Kliefoth, Kevin Johnson, Julie Heald. ROW 2: Darla Dettman, Jim McCune, Scott Kirkeberg, Larry Meyer, Pat Bollman, Lindsey Krambeer, Dan Vogt, Kim Wirkler. ROW 3: Julie Goettler, Dennis Wagner, Chris Houg, Randy Vogt, Randy Fuelling, Tim Schultz, Mick Ferguson, Jon Vangen, Coach Heald, Juliet Schultz.





The M-F-L Bulldogettes were rated No. 1 throughout the state for most of the summer season, having a 32-2 record, being conference champs and winning the KOEL and Dubuque Tournaments. They also won Sectionals but were beat out in the semi-finals of Districts by Waukon, who later got 4th in State. Julie Johannsen ended her high school career with a 122-26 record and was inducted into the State Pitcher's Hall of Fame. The following players were named on Tournament Teams:

KOEL	ALL-CONFERENCE	ALL-DISTRICT	ALL-STATE
J. Johannsen	J. Johannsen	J. Johannsen	J. Johannsen, 1st Team
P. Willie	N. Swanson	N. Swanson	N. Swanson, 4th Team
N. Swanson	P. Willie	P. Willie	P. Willie, 2nd Team
	P. Ridout		

J. Balekos was Special Mention, and B. Begalske and P. Ridout were Honorable Mention in ALL-STATE.

M-F-L Girls Softball team came back in the fall. They lost four Seniors, but gained a new coach, Mr. Martins, who built them up to an 8-7 record. The Bulldogettes managed to get to Sectional finals by defeating Guttenburg 19-0 and Mar-Mac, 11-1. In Sectional finals they were beaten by Elkader Central 2-6, but still were able to go on to Districts where they were beaten by West Central in first round action 8-10. Brenda Begalske made ALL-CONFERENCE, and Jill Balekos was Honorable Mention.



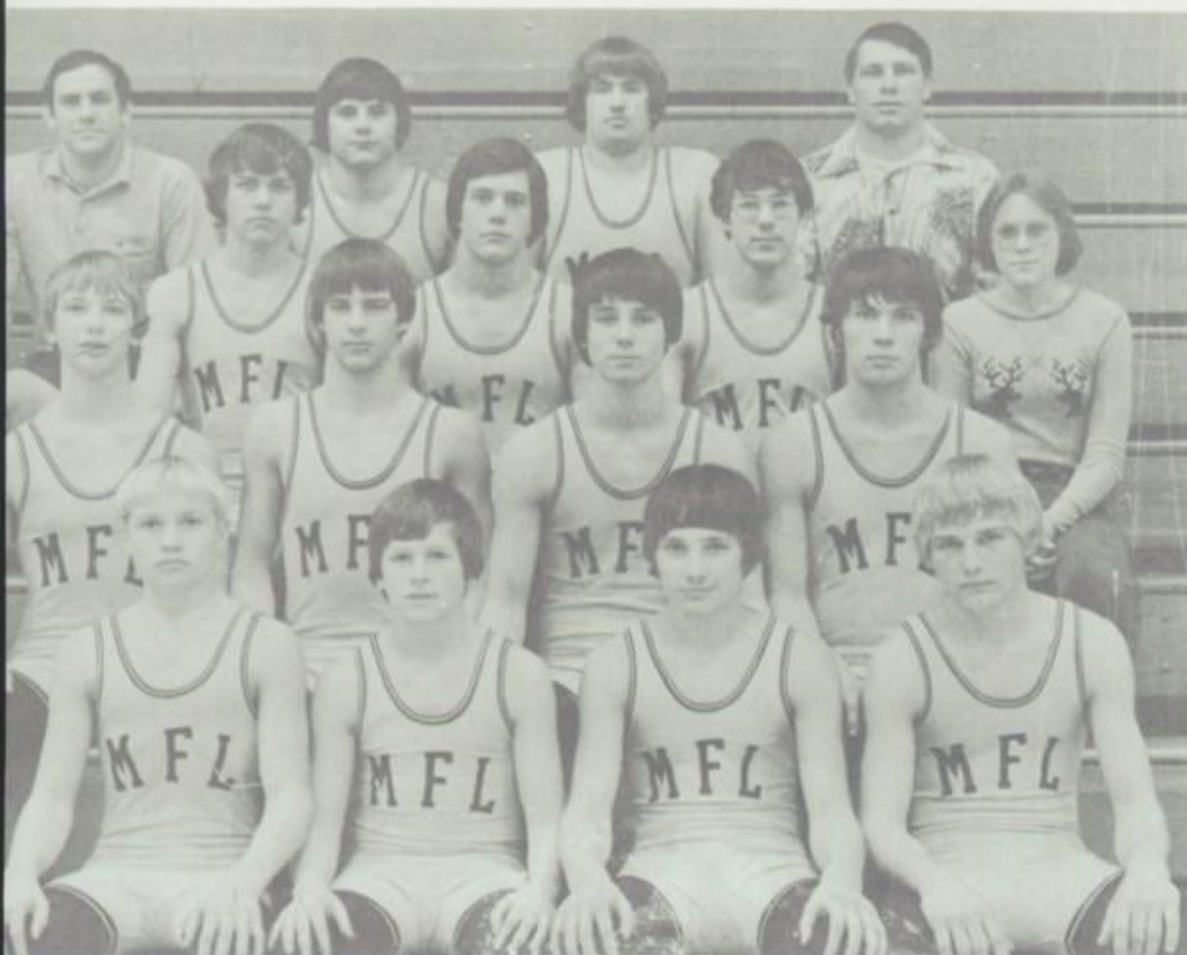
Softball



Summer Softball. ROW 1: Jill Balekos, Denise Rothmeyer, Clare Huinker, Lori Swanson, Linda Begalske. ROW 2: Sally Havlicek, Pat Ridout, Gail Drallmeier, Carla Johannsen, Nadine Swanson, Cindy Glawe. ROW 3: Coach O'Connell, Patty Willie, Julie Johannsen, Lynne Landt, Brenda Begalske, Vannessia Vangen, Asst. Coach Mr. Watermann.

Fall Softball. ROW 1: Linda Begalske, Carla Johannsen, Brenda Begalske, Denise Rothmeyer, Lori Swanson. ROW 2: Jill Balekos, Cindy Glawe, Liz Houg, Lynne Landt, Sally Havlicek, Gail Drallmeier, Jackie Lee, Clare Huinker. ROW 4: Coach Martins, Asst. Coach Mr. Begalske.



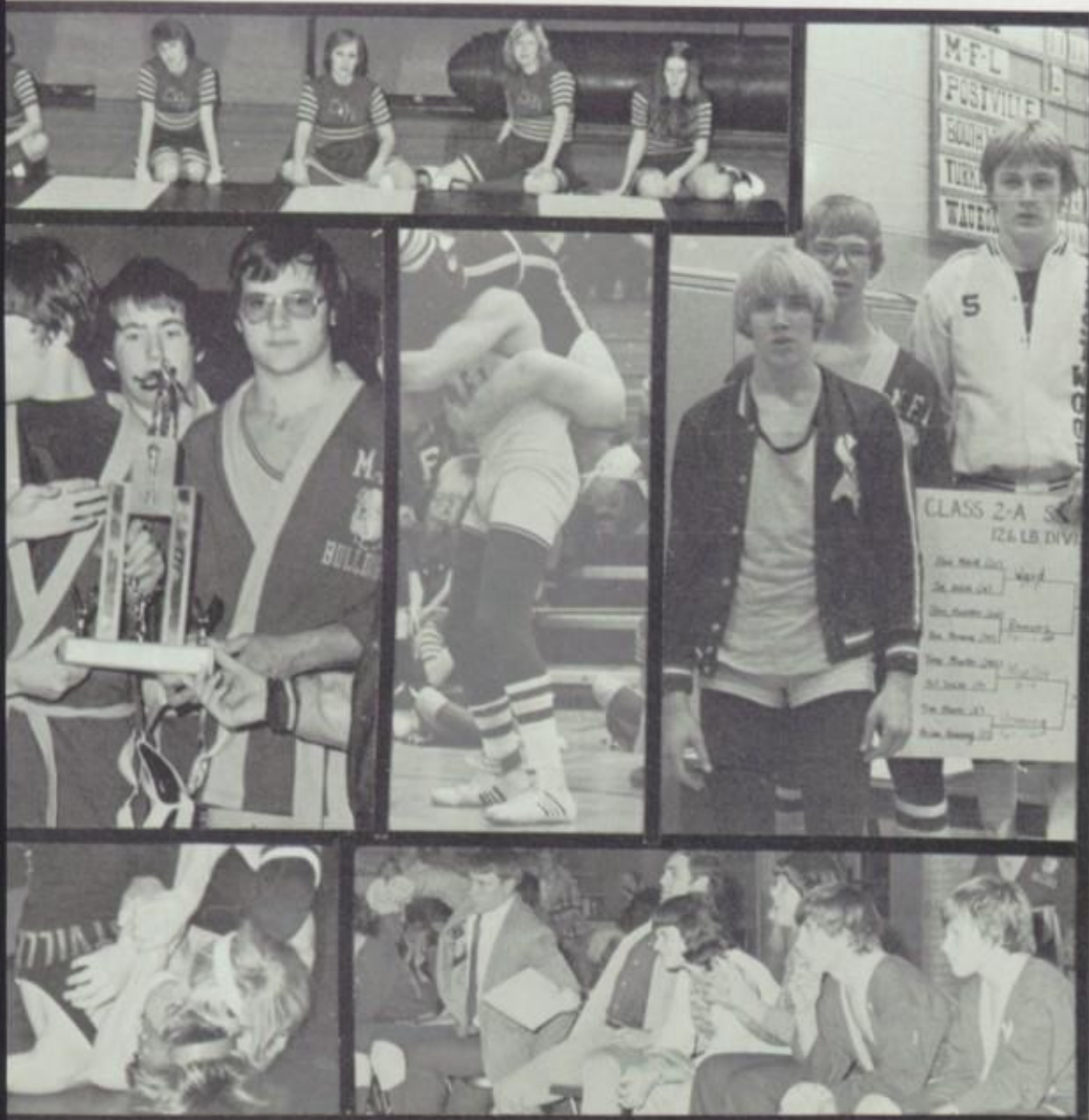


ROW 1: Tom Schultz, Dave Hemesath, Dean Nieland, Mike Vorwald.
ROW 2: Tony Mueller, Toby Schweikert, Rod Kregel, Chris Houg.
ROW 3: Bill Kiesau, Dave Lange, Kevin Dinsdale, Mgr. Lori Hook. ROW
4: Coach Wiegand, Al Berns, Jan Krueger, Coach Sanger. NOT PIC-
TURED: Managers Joy Meyer and Jackie Lee.



Mr. Sanger and Mr. and Mrs. Wiegand look at the results from the UIC tournament at Sumner.

Varsity Wrestlers Break Eleven Records



The 1977 Varsity Wrestling Team broke 11 team records and originated a new one! M-F-L hat its first shut-out dual; that is, won all individual matches in a single meet. This was set against Elkader with a score of 58-0. Other records set this year:

- Most dual meet wins, a perfect 12.
- Most points, S. Winn. Tourney, 115.
- Most points, Conference Tourney, 139½.
- Most points, Starmont Tourney, 69.
- Most total pins in dual meets, 41.
- Dual Class Record set by Freshmen, 19 wins and 10 losses.
- Dual and Tournament Class Record, by Freshmen, 30 wins and 23 losses.
- Best dual meet score, 430 points.
- Net dual meet points, +227.
- Total Tournament points, 409.

TEAM SCORES

26	Postville	27	32	N. Winn	19
21	North	39	53	Valley	2
45	Sumner	22	31	S. Winn	23
25	Waukon	28	33	N. Winn	20
58	Elkader	0	52	W. Central	11
		54	Elkader	12	



ROW 1: Wendy Sersland, Cathy Klima, Linda Hass, Brenda Begalske, Linda Begalske, Tracey Russett. ROW 2: Linda Augustine, Christine Miller, Carol Baskerville, Gwen Gordon, Lisa Scheffert, Linda Augustine, Brenda Schultz. ROW 3: Barb Hofer, Tami Dinsdale, Jackie Thompson, Joni Benzing, LuAnn Schultz, Kay Gramlich, Joyce Berns, Nancy Meyer. Not Pictured: Lynne Gisleson

Golfers Share Tournament Standings, 4th in Sectional



Girls with 2nd place conference trophy.



Coaches Begalske and Ottsen.



Boys display their 1st golf trophy.

ROW 1: Steve Possehl, John Augustine, Jim Olson, Mark Turner, Steve Wilke, Chris Meyer. ROW 2: Bill Baskerville, Gene Moore, Mark Hofer, Greg Gordon, Tim Christofferson, Mark Hanson.





MFL Has New Spirit

Something new was seen this year at school. The cheerleaders brought a new enthusiasm to their pep rallies and games. They did this with their many signs throughout the school and by leading spirit contests, which were judged by Mr. Venter. Backed by this new spirit, the teams were lead to many victories.



VARSITY BASKETBALL CHEERLEADERS: (left) Laurel Klinkenberg, Linda Hass, Lisa Scheffert, Sally Drahn, Darla Dettman.

VARSITY WRESTLING CHEERLEADERS: (below) Kim Wirkler, Karman Krambeer, Vannessia Vangen, Julie Goettler, Cathy Klima.





BULLDOG STAFF ROW 1: Mr. Fullhart, advisor; Theresa Marman, asst. Business mngr.; Kay Gramlich, Co-editor; Janet Roys, Co-editor; Vicki Landt, Business Mngr.; Brian Frelinger. ROW 2: Kim Wirkler, Julie Goettler, Lisa Scheffert, Lori Swanson, Pat Thompson. ROW 3: Lester Wright, LuAnn Schultz, Brenda Augustine, Lynne Gisleson, Deb Schlitter, Mrs. Turner, advisor. Not Pictured: Steve Wilke.

The Bulldog staff began the year with a workshop in Calmar in September and worked throughout the year to finish the Annual.

Bulldog, & Bulldog Growl Provide News & Memories

BULLDOG GROWL STAFF ROW 1: Joy Meyer, Mrs. Kruse, advisor; Becky Wirkler, Dave Schoenfeld, Trent Henkes, Pat Thompson, Lester Wright. ROW 2: Lori Tielbar, Sally Drahn, Darla Dettman, Pat Habrichter, Kristy Garms, Joni Benzing, Tammy Muller, Editor. ROW 3: Jim Olson, Linda Hass, John Augustine, Amy Kruse, Julia Grove, Cathy Klima.



SES is Students for Educational Services. M—F—L members are: ROW 1: Stormy Burckart, Lori Hook, Joy Meyer, Pam Haberichter, Karen Goettler, Christine Miller, Lisa McNally. ROW 2: Mrs. Boardman, Lori Henderson, Lisa Cox, Rochelle Beisker, Debra Hagensick, Tami Dinsdale, Pat Haberichter. ROW 3: Mary Berns, DiAna Schluetter, Wendy Bissell, Brenda Fowler, Lisa Halvorson, Janet Thompson, Linda Peters, Denise Marmann.



Organizing a newspaper is lots of work. Tammy Muller is shown here leading two meetings.

Joy Meyer was elected state SES secretary. She is shown "on the job" helping Nancy Smith.





Jr.-Sr. FFA ROW 1: Tom Schultz, Greg Tangeman, Dean Nieland, Steve Wagner, Larry Grappe, Eric Smith, Steve Pape, Mike Vorwald, Jerome Wille. ROW 2: Mr. Wachter, Bob Berns, Dave Schlein, Brian Freilinger, Eugene Mueller, Dave Lange, Roger Winters, Loren Plozel, Janet Donlon, Linda Miene. ROW 3: Kirby Cahoon, Kevin Johnson, Rod Kregel, Brad Hoth, Larry Lembke, Richard Moose, Al Berns, Dan Moon, Loren Landt.



Richard and Al inspect Fruit Orders.

Eric, Al, Dan and Dean display their proficiency awards.

FFA Achieves Excellence



Linda and Kevin received the coveted Iowa State Farmer Degree.



Freshman team awarded 2nd place for soil judging effort



Sandra, Bill, Dean and Al represent MFL at Big River Barrow Show.

Fresh.-Soph. FFA ROW 1: Denise Tangeman, Sandra Horns, Gail Klingeman, Craig Arczinski, Scott Bollman, Al Schultz, Ken Kuhse, Tim Donlon. ROW 2: Dave Schraer, Martin Doerring, Rod Bries, Joe Connor, Scott Kregel, Allan Troester, Ronnie Ste, Mark Rothmeyer, Bill Baskerville. ROW 3: Mr. Wachter, Deb Martins, Sandra Miene, Pete Doerring, Randy Muller, Steve Marovets, Todd Mielke, Trent Henkes, Lin Baade, Ronald Wille. ROW 4: Darrell Lamker, Rick Moon, Bill Kiesau, Todd Cahoon, Kevin Dinsdale, Kevin Blietz, Jim Moose, Kevin Timmerman, Dan Walz, Randy Moon.

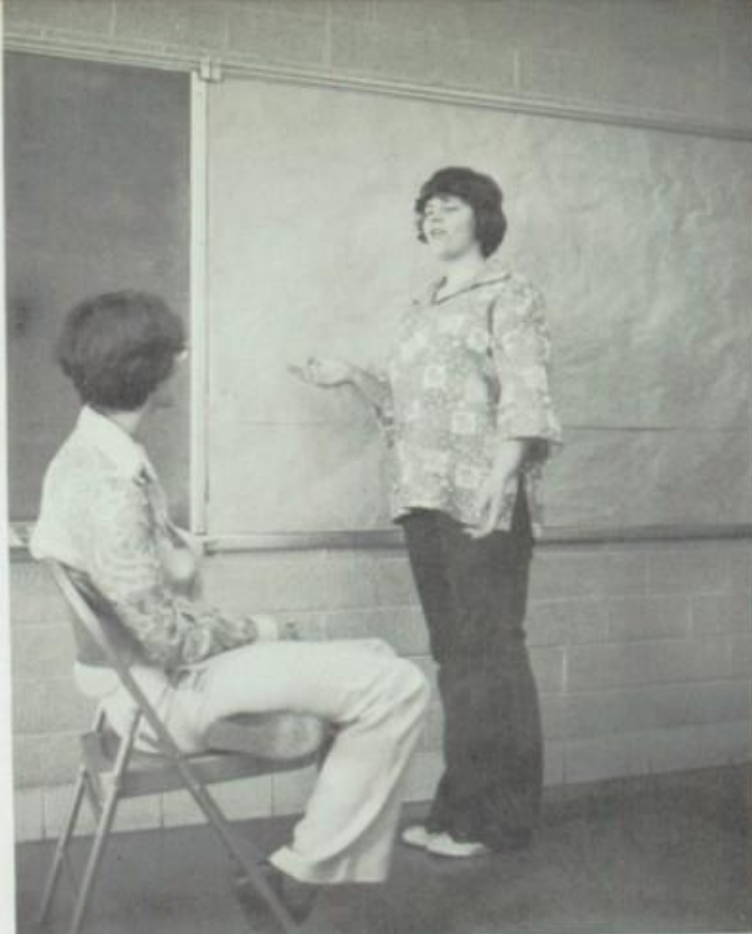
Denise and Ken received bronze awards for taking the Greenhand Quiz.





District Speech Contest, February 20 at Maynard.
ROW 1: Lynette Krambeer, Interpretive Prose; Ms. Farnham, Speech Coach; Lisa Walter, Interpretive Prose. ROW 2: Joy Meyer, After Dinner Speaking and Radio News Announcing; Lisa Halvorson, Interpretive Prose; Leesa Reardon, Literary Program; Bobbi Moore, Interpretive Reading Prose.

S P E E C H



State Speech Contest, March 19 at West Union. Joy Meyer was the only one from M-F-L participating.

Lil' Abner

Nov. 5,6

A.N. Busse Gym

In Dog Patch things were going on as usual. But at the Pentagon in Washington, General Bullmoose (Lester Wright) was looking for some place to drop the atom bomb. Senator Fogbound (Larry Meyer) saw this as an opportunity to make Dog Patch famous. Now unless the townsfolk can find something important, they will be wiped off the face of the earth. Mammy's (Leesa Reardon) Yokumberry tonic which produces super-human strength causes all kinds of problems for the users, and Pappy's (Steve Mueller) antidote brings them back to themselves again.

Over 80 students were involved in this musical, from the advertising committee, to the stage and make-up crews, including the choruses and accompanists.

Lil' Abner interrupts Marryin' Sam (Mark Turner) while he presides over the marriage of Earthquake McGoon (Gary Lenth) and Daisy Mae under the watchful eye of Jubilation T. Cornpone in the presence of the townsfolk.



Lil' Abner (Jim Olson) and Daisy Mae (Vannessia Vangen) discuss their future.







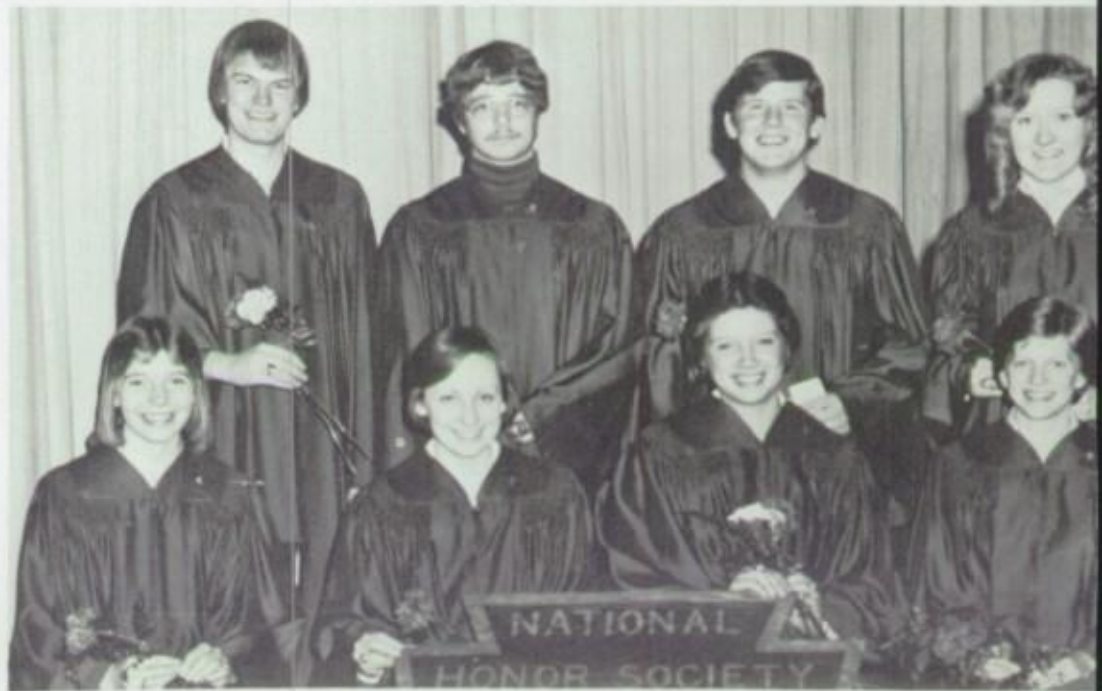
Honor Societies Induct 15 New Members

On Thursday March 3, 1977 the Blanche Sherman Chapter of the National Honor Society and Quill and Scroll initiated eight and seven new members respectively. Honor society members are chosen for service, leadership, character, and scholarship. Quill and Scroll students are chosen by their instructors for outstanding journalistic abilities. A reception in the lobby followed the ceremonies.

Quill and Scroll: Former members: Lester Wright, Tammy Muller. New initiates: Front—Becky Wirkler, Kim Wirkler, Joy Meyer. Back—Jim Olson, Lori Tielbar, Amy Kruse, Julie Goettler.



National Honor Society: New initiates: Front—Judy Johnson, Cathy Klima, Amy Kruse, Darla Dettman. Back—Jim Olson, Scott Kirkeberg, Lester Wright, Trudy Rose. Former members: Front—Sandy Reeg, Brenda Begalske, Laurel Klinkenberg, Denise Rothmeyer. Back—Vanessia Vangen, Mark Turner, Julie Goettler.





Row 1: L. Miller, L. Gerdes, J. Hanson, M. Wagner, J. Benzing, J. Goettler, N. Meyer, L. Walter, J. Marting, K. Krambeer, Row 2: C. Klima, S. Hedemann, J. Grove, P. Haberichter, C. Kruse, B. Augustine, R. Fasher, S. Drahn, J. Thompson, L. Baade, J. Berns, D. Schlitter, D. Schlein, P. Haberichter, S. Hanson, L. Halvorson, S. Reeg, Row 3: K. Wirkler, L. Gisleson, B. Begalske, K. Goettler, J. Thompson, L. Schultz, T. Schweikert, T. Miller, V. Vangen, C. Houg, S. Havelick, B. Begalske, L. Swanson, J. Venter, L. Wiedenmann, G. Lenth, L. Ball, C. Baskerville, C. Johann-

sen, L. Hass, Row 4: J. Donlon, W. Sersland, G. Drallmeier, L. Meyer, J. Balekos, B. Moore, D. Lamker, C. Henkes, J. Vangen, L. Sweet, L. Landt, C. Meyer, D. Rothmeyer, L. Scheffert, P. Thompson, C. Walter, L. Klinkenberg, Row 5: Mr. James, A. Baade, D. Kuehl, S. Mueller, E. Houg, S. Posschl, T. James, B. Schmidt, M. Turner, J. Augustine, C. Blietz, K. Garms, S. Havelick, T. Russett.

Band Rates I for Ninth Consecutive Years

All four large music groups received I's at the State Music Contest held in Decorah on May 7. M-F-L was the only Class B school to rate a I in all four competitions. It was also the ninth straight year the band has won this honor.

Rated Ensembles and Instrumental Solos:

Clarinet Quartet Cathy Klima, Susan Hedemann, Julia Grove, Linda Hass
Flute Trio Janelle Hanson, Joni Benzing, Nancy Meyer
Flute Quartet Joni Benzing, Lori Marting, Janelle Hanson, Nancy Meyer
Saxophone Duet Lisa Scheffert, Lana Scheffert
Saxophone Quartet Laurel Klinkenberg, Lorrie Sweet, Denise Rothmeyer, Lynne Landt
Woodwind Quintet Luann Miller, Linda Baade, Kim Wirkler, Sandy Reeg, Cathy Klima
Woodwind Trio Lisa Gerdes, Susan Hedemann, Sally Drahn

Janet Donlon Cornet
Susan Hedemann Clarinet
Tim James Tympany
Cathy Klima Clarinet
Laurel Klinkenberg Saxophone
Lynne Landt Baritone
Saxophone
Nancy Meyer Flute
Sandra Reeg Bassoon
Wendy Sersland Cornet
Lori Swanson Trombone
Janet Thompson Baritone
Mark Turner Marimba



Band music added spirit and excitement to many school athletic events. The pep band played for basketball games and pep meetings. Below is a portion of the Marching Band shown in their Flag Formation at a football game.



A scene from the Band Carnival. The money earned helped finance the trip to Adventureland in June, 1976.

Row 1: J. Swanson, D. Hagensick, N. Roys, K. Gramlich, J. Kliefoth, C. Huinker, D. Lotza, B. Jolly, C. Lembke, Row 2: J. Pattison, T. Johanningmeier, L. McNally, C. Miller, M. Hazlett, L. Gottman, K. Balekos, C. Hanson, L. Trappe, B. Tangeman, T. Smith, R. Lamborn, C. Belchner, N. Roys, D. Hemmersbach, L. Walters, N. Fowler, Row 3: K. Knockel, B. Baskerville, S. Schoulte, B. Dettman, D. Rothmeyer, R. Krambeer, J. Berns, J. Miene, A. Kuehl, S. Havelick, C. Henkes, S. Thompson, R. Meyer, A. Gerdes, D. Bernhard, L. Marting, K. Vangen, B. Kiesau,

E. Mayer, J. Venter. Row 4: M. Rothmeyer, L. Houg, B. Schultz, M. Schlitter, B. Bruehahn, J. Kruse, R. Kregel, E. Goettler, L. Timmerman, L. Augustine, K. Radloff, J. Berns, S. Wilke, C. Moore, L. Krambeer, L. Garms, B. Gisleson, T. Hemmersbach, L. Scheffert, R. Ziemann, S. Havelick, J. Miller, K. Reincke, M. Walter. Row 5: Mr. Bridges, B. Schultz, M. Meyer, M. Gisleson, T. Schultz, T. Mueller, K. Gerdes, R. Sersland, R. Muller, M. Levenhagen, C. Blumhagen, L. Augustine.





ROW 1: C. Meyer, R. Gilson, E. Houg, T. Schweikert, T. Mueller, S. Kregel, S. Marovets, K. Kuhse, T. Schultz, R. Muller, B. Baskerville, D. Hemesath, A. Schultz, Mr. Ogle. ROW 2: S. Thompson, A. Hoth, L. Kliefoth, T. Balekos, K. Johnson, T. Christofferson, K. Gerdes, D. Lam-

ker, J. Venter, A. Baade, R. Bries, T. Schultz. ROW 3: J. Augustine, G. Lenth, M. Turner, B. Kurdelmeyer, S. Wilke, S. Larson, P. Bollman, T. James, L. Meyer, J. Vangen, J. Olson, L. Wright, S. Mueller.



The following small and large groups received 1 ratings at state music contest held April 1 & 2 at Postville and May 4 & 5 at Decorah, respectively.

Lester Wright, Lanny Klei-
foth, Dave Hemesath, Jim
Olson, Bill Baskerville,
Steve Larson, Todd Bale-
kos, Kevin Johnson
Double quartet
LuAnn Schultz, Lisa Scheff-
fert, Brenda Augustine,
Lori Swanson. . . . Quartet
Sally Drahn, Judy Johnson
. Duet

Vannessia Vangen, Mark
Turner Duet
Mark Turner Bass
Gary Lenth Bass
Lester Wright Tenor
Dave Hemesath Tenor
Jim Olson Tenor
Amy Kruse. Soprano
Boys Chorus, Girls Chorus,
and Mixed Chorus.



MADRIGAL ROW 1: Janet Thompson, Tobin Schweikert, Linda Hass, Joni Benzing, Laurel Klinkenberg. ROW 2: Alan Hoth, Amy Kruse, Lester Wright, Wendy Sersland, Todd Balekos. ROW 3: Tim James, Sue Hedemann, Jon Vangen, Trudy Rose, Mark Turner.

MADRIGAL ROW 1: Becky Wirkler, Sally Drahn, LuAnn Schultz, Julie Goettler, Judy Johnson. ROW 2: Steve Mueller, Lynn Landt, Vannessia Vangen, Lisa Scheffert, Jay Venter. ROW 3: Jim Olson, Gary Lenth, Steve Larson, John Augustine, Kevin Johnson.

Together We Create



ROW 1: J. Johnson, T. Russett, B. Wirkler, R. Doerring, C. Johannsen, K. Gramlich, D. Schlitter, L. Begalske, D. Johnson, M. Berns, J. Berns, L. Scheffert, G. Gordon, C. Baskerville, B. Augustine, Mr. Ogle. ROW 2: W. Sersland, L. Sweet, L. Halvorson, T. Muller, G. Drallmeier, L. Duwe, T. Schmidt, D. Kuehl, S. Havelick, D. Gehring, R. Beisker, Dang Van Anh, D. Palas, L. Kammerer, K. Garms, P. Thompson, S. Drahn, J. Thompson, L. Hass, K. Wirkler. ROW 3: L.



Schultz, L. Gisleson, S. Hedemann, L. Klinkenberg, J. Goettler, C. Kruse, D. McKee, J. Seitz, L. Miller, L. Baade, D. Dettmann, S. Reeg, C. Walters, D. Miene, T. Rose, V. Vangen, J. Hanse, M. Grady, J. Grove. ROW 4: D. Marmann, J. Roys, S. Hanson, D. Schluetter, L. Gerdes, J. Benzing, T. Marmann, L. Swanson, P. Haberichter, K. Krambeer, C. Welch, B. Muller, J. Timmerma, L. Tielbar, B. Moore, R. Fascher, L. Wiedemann, L. Landt, A. Kruse, S. Miene.





ROW 1: L. Hass, T. Schweikert, T. Russett, A. Schultz, S. Drahm, T. Mueller, L. Swanson, K. Wirkler, D. Hemesath, B. Wirkler, T. Balekos, L. Baade, B. Baskerville, S. Havelick, Mr. Ogle.
ROW 2: J. Goettler, J. Augustine, L. Scheffert, J. Venter, J. Johnson, L. Kleifoth, J. Thompson, T. Schultz, L. Sweet, S. Thompson, V. Vangen, A. Hoth, T. Schultz, W. Sersland, B.

Augustine. ROW 3: S. Reeg, K. Johnson, S. Mueller, J. Grove, D. Kuehl, M. Turner, A. Kruse, D. Lamker, L. Klinkenberg, L. Meyer, L. Wiedemann, L. Wright, L. Gisleson, R. Fascher. ROW 4: M. Grady, T. Schmidt, R. Muller, L. Landt, T. James, S. Hedemann, S. Larson, T. Rose, L. Schultz, J. Olson, K. Krambeer, G. Lenth, J. Benzing, J. Vangen, B. Moore.



Freshmen Girls Glee ROW 1: Lynette Krambeer, Sandra Havelick, Christine Miller, Brenda Schultz, Linda Augustine, Carol Huinker, Lisa Walter. ROW 2: Mary Neuhaus, Karen Goettler, Lisa McNally, Virginette Neuhaus, Deb Hagensick, Pam Haberichter, Deb Hoth, Mr. Ogle. ROW 3: Liz Houg, Carmen Henkes, Deb Martins, Lisa Tielbar, Donna Schlein, Jane Swanson, Robin Ziemann.



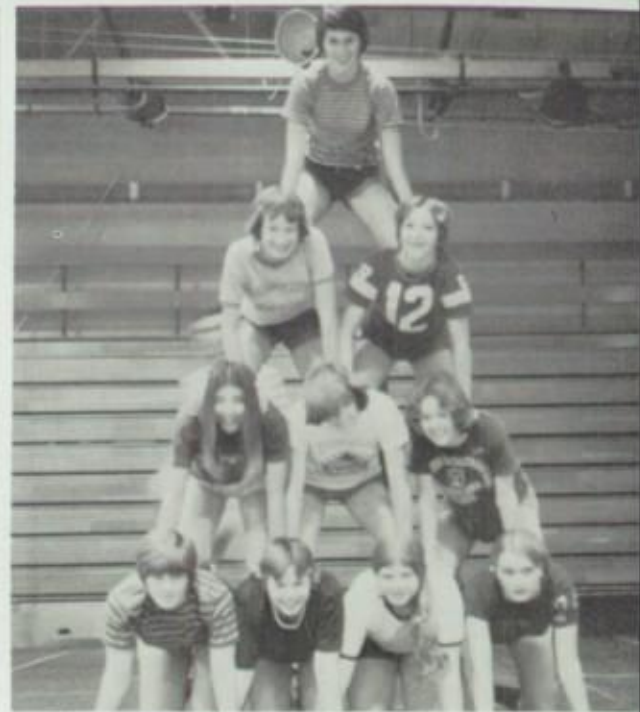
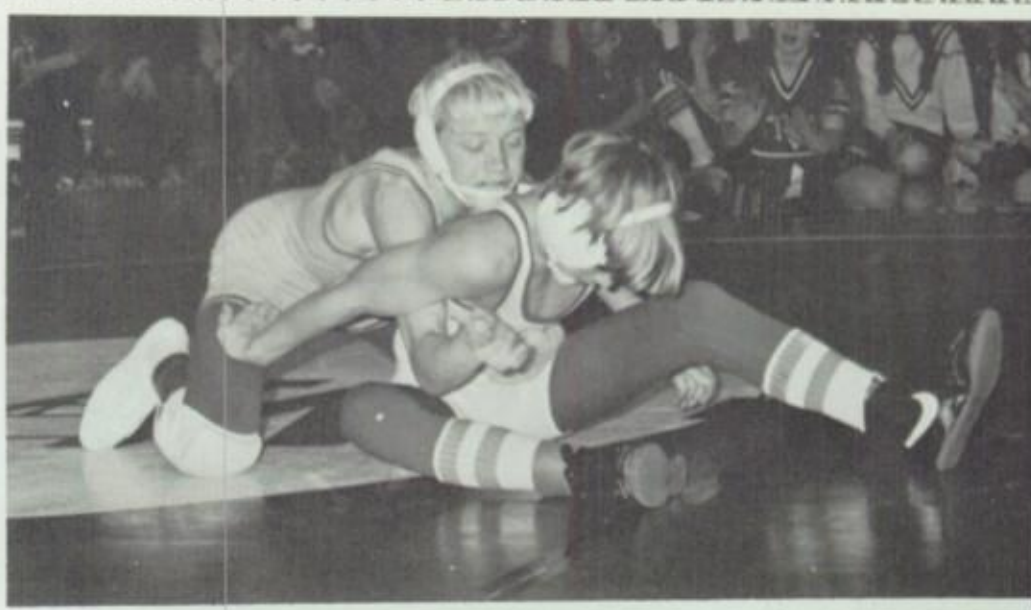
The Young Americans, M-F-L's swing chorus, was very active in their second year of existence. The group performed at the Clayton County Fair, State Fair, and Cattle Congress. They also performed for smaller groups throughout the northeast Iowa area. Members are from left: Julia Grove, John Augustine, Amy Kruse, Tracey Russett, Lester Wright, Jay Venter, Julie Goettler, Jon Vangen, Judy Johnson, Laurel Klinkenberg, Todd Balekos, Mark Turner, Janet Thompson, Tim James, Kim Wirkler, Jim Olson, Vanessa Vangen, Gary Lenth, Linda Hass, Steve Mueller.

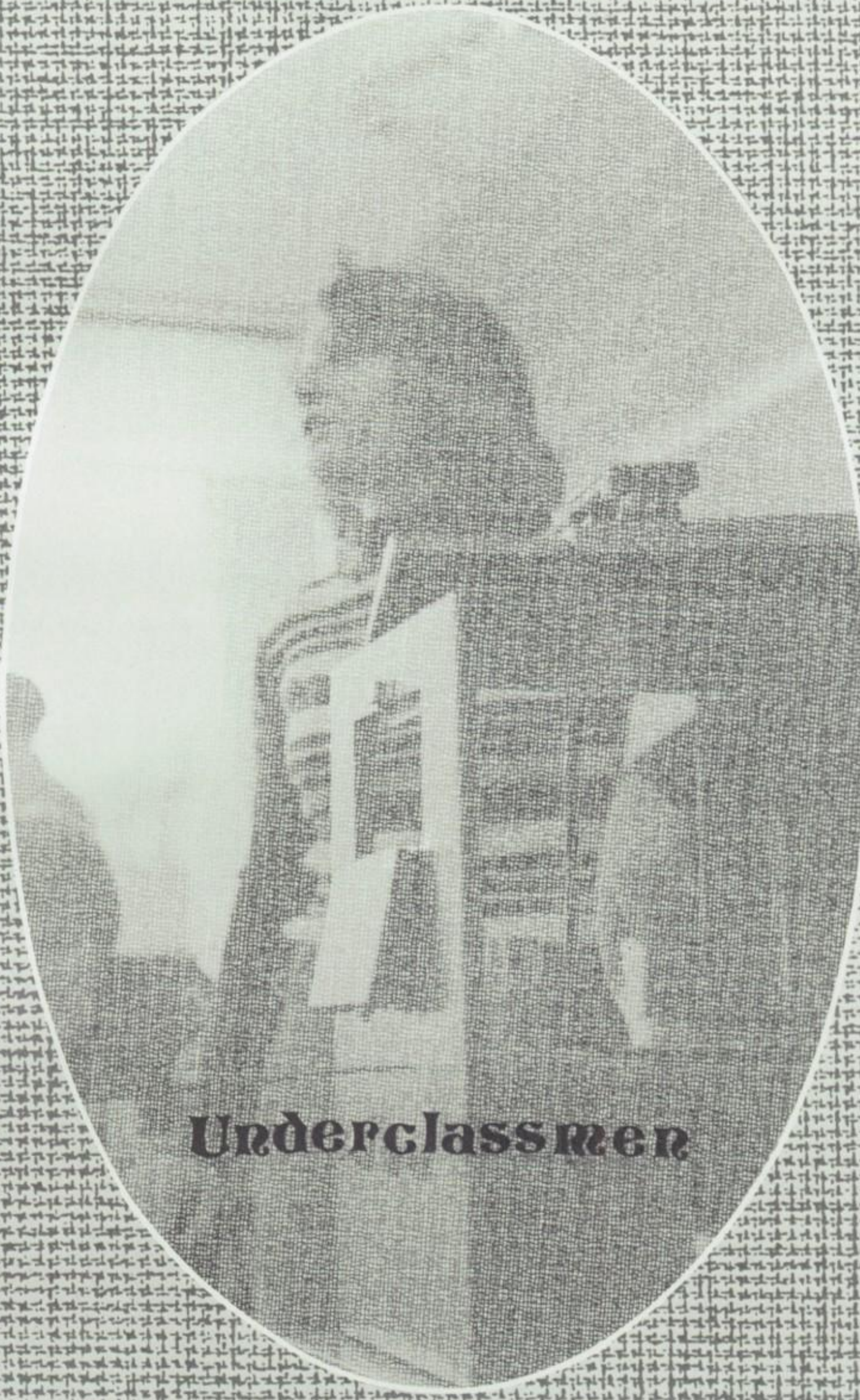


Becky Wirkler, Gary Lenth, Wendy Sersland, Mark Turner and Janet Thompson (top left) took part in the Tallcorn Festival at Cedar Falls, where Mark was selected to sing his solo at the evening performance. Vanessa Vangen, Gary Lenth, Jim Olson and Wendy Sersland (top right) were selected for the Dorian Festival Choir at Decorah. Dang Van Ahn, Wendy Sersland and Laurel Klinkenberg (bottom left) represented M-F-L in the state piano contest. Members of the UIC select chorus from M-F-L were Becky Wirkler, Mark Turner, Amy Kruse, Lester Wright, Julie Goettler, Gary Lenth, Janet Thompson and Steve Mueller.

M-F-L's mixed chorus and Young Americans made their television debut on KWWL-TV Christmas afternoon. Due to electrical problems at the school the two groups traveled to the station in Waterloo.







Underclassmen



ROW 1: Karen Goettler, Liz Houg, Brenda Schultz, Barb Hofer, Debbie Barnes, Laurie Hertrampf, Linda Augustine. ROW 2: Sharon Baumgartner, Christine Miller, Brenda Duwe, Carol Huinker, Lisa Wolter, Mary Neuhaus, Deb Hoth, Denise Tangeman. ROW 3: Brenda Peterson, Wanda Echard, Lynn Marting, Deb Hagensick, Lisa McNally, Tammy Dinsdale, Karen Reincke. ROW 4: Sally Schoulte, Donna Schlein, Virginette Neuhaus, Linda Peters, Jane Swanson, Robin Zieman, Cheryl Lembke, Deb Martins. NOT PICTURED: Carmen Henkes, Lisa Tielbar, Sandra Havelick.

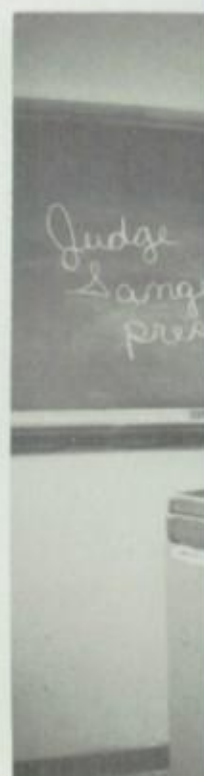
Freshmen Find

Their first year in high school proved to be a busy one for the 9th Graders. They found a place for themselves in the realm of high school classes and activities.

CLASS OFFICERS ROW 1: Lynette Krambeer, Student Council; Dave Hemesath, Treasurer; Pam Haberichter, Secretary. ROW 2: Dave Schrader, President; Kerry Knockel, Vice President.



ROW 1: Al Schultz, Tim Wright, Tim Donlon, Ken Kuhse, Bill Baskerville, Kent Seitz, Dale Bugenhagen. ROW 2: Ron Wille, Tom Wille, Mark Rothmeyer, Tim Schultz, Rod Bries, Ronnie Fite, Arlin Baade, Steve Kuenster. ROW 3: Todd Mielke, Mike Walter, Greg Gordon, Tony Mueller, Joe Connor, Trent Henkes, Dan Sass, Gary Amundson. ROW 4: Steve Wilke, Mark Hansen, Bob Kurdelmeyer, Jan Krueger, Jeff Palas, Tim Mohs, Randy Moon, Kurt Gerdes. NOT PICTURED: Scot Doerring, Gary Keppler, Ronnie Plozel, Darrel Schmelzer





Easter was the occasion for a party in typing class.

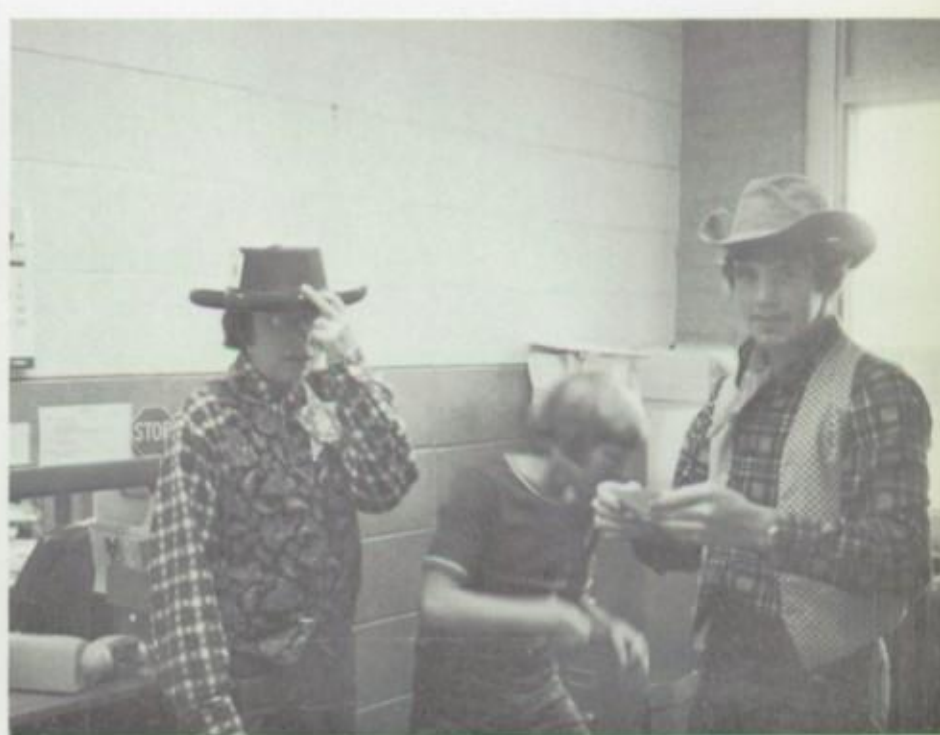


A farewell to Self-Awareness.



The Freshman Class entered into the spirit of Homecoming. They had a skit at the pep meeting. . . .

General Math Class had a trial and also went outdoors (lower right) to get experience in measuring.



. . . and dressed in keeping with Cowboy and Indian Day.

Typing class members earned awards for speed and accuracy.





ROW 1: Brenda Augustine, Sandra Horns, Gail Klingeman, Tammy Brooks, Darlene Connor, Dawn Palas, Denise Burgess, Linda Begalske, Corky Henkes, Nancy Nagel. ROW 2: Lori Henderson, Rochelle Beisker, Kristy Garms, Lori Hook, Lisa Cox, Deb Schlitter, Laurie Ball, Lori Marting, Patty Thompson, Charlynn Blietz, Sandy Childs. ROW 3: Brenda Fowler, Joyce Berns, Wendy Bissell, Kay Gramlich, Janet Roys, Pat Haberichter, Lori Swanson, Deb Johnson, Jackie Thompson, Mary Berns, Julie Kilcher, Mary Duwe. ROW 4: Sandra Miene, Nancy Meyer, DiAna Schlueter, Lisa Halvorson, Janelle Hansen, Leesa Rear-don, Renee Fascher, Joni Benzing, Denise Marmann, LuAnn Schultz, Lynne Gisleson. NOT PICTURED: Rhonda Doerring, Gayle Knickerbocker, Bobbi Moore.

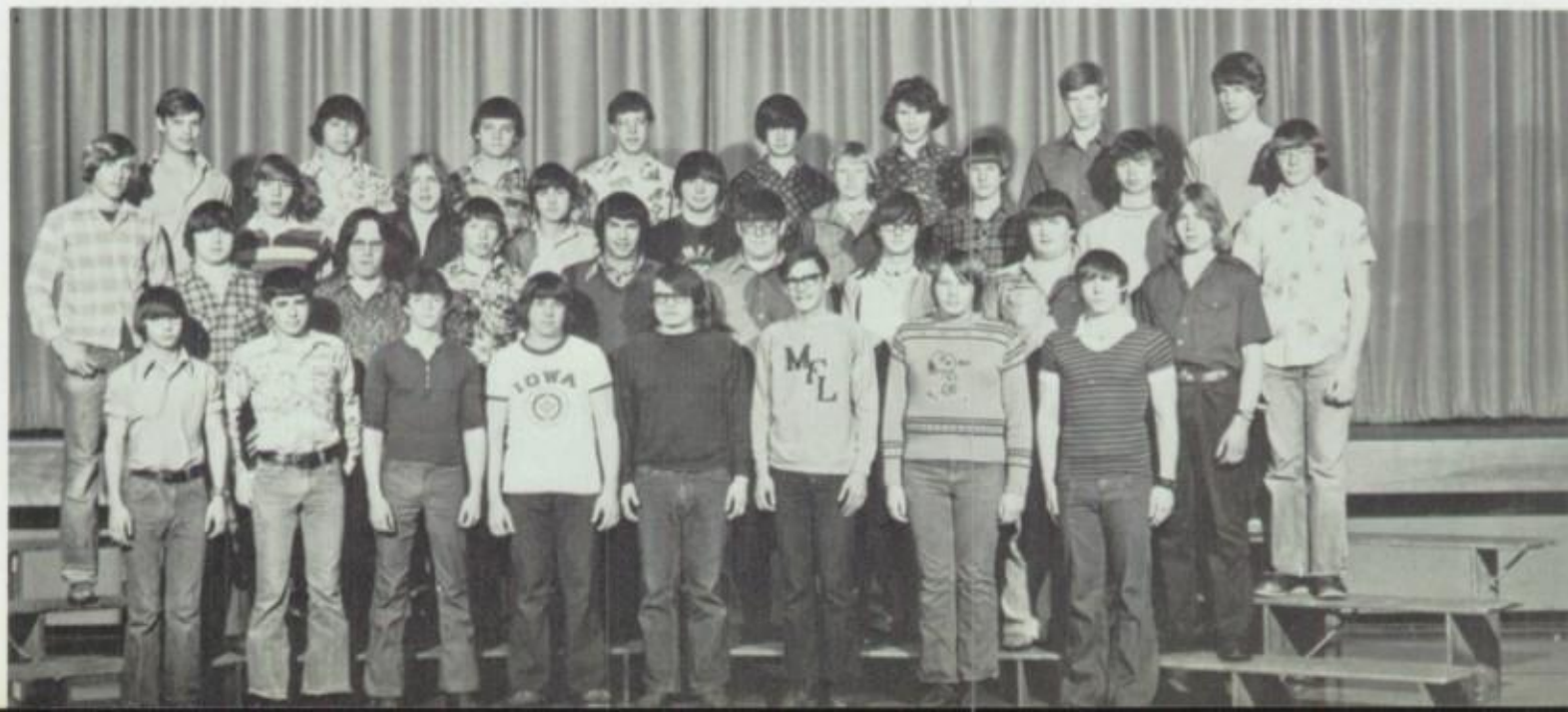
Sophomores Seek

Sophomores began their year by being able to choose from a variety of subjects. This helped them to broaden their learning opportunities and discover new areas of interest.

Sophomore Officers: ROW 1: Lisa Scheffert, Student Council; Dan Vogt, Secretary; Stormy Burckart, Treasurer. ROW 2: Kevin Blietz, Vice-President; Steve Sweet, President.



ROW 1: Danny Schlitter, Scott Bollman, Craig Turczinski, Scott Wright, Al Troester, Gene Moore, Mark Hofer, Eric Houg. ROW 2: Corey Amundson, Randy Gilson, Steve Mueller, Todd Cahoon, Tim Christofferson, Robert Burns, Randy Muller, Martin Doerring. ROW 3: Marty Bissell, Dave Schoenfeldt, Pete Doerring, Scott Kregel, Steve Marovets, Rick Moon, Darrell Lamker, Chris Meyer, Al Hoth. ROW 4: Dan Wagner, Bill Kiesau, Jay Venter, Kevin Dinsdale, Jim Moose, Kevin Timmerman, Dean Walz, Jon Vangen. NOT PICTURED: Wayne Dundee, Tom Miller.





German II posing for Bina's photo album.



Fire drill.

AATG Test.



Art.

Using the new Sound System.



Homecoming Skit.

Game of Volleyball in P.E.





ROW 1: Wendy Peterson, Gail Drallmeier, Mary Vlazny, Jackie Lee, Cheryl Wille, Claire Huinker, Debbie Howard. ROW 2: Darla Dettman, Wendy Sersland, Tracey Russett, Sondra Kruse, Sally Drahn, Deb Kuehl, Joy Meyer, Terri Heins. ROW 3: Brenda Klingeman, Cindy Glawe, Sally Havlicek, Connie Walter, Teresa Schmidt, Karman Krambeer, Deb McKee, Cindy Kruse, Laurie Duwe. ROW 4: Ann Levenhagen, Lynne Landt, Sue Hanson, Mary Grady, Lori Wiedemann, Sue Hedemann, Janice Timmerman, Celeste Welch, Theresa Marmann.

As they journey through school, the juniors find themselves upper classmen.



Class Officers: ROW 2: Mr. Fullhart, Jill Balekos, President; Lisa Gerdes, Secretary; Judy Johnson, Student Council; Mr. Martin. ROW 2: Don Burckhart, Treasurer; Mrs. Foels, Kevin Johnson, Vice-President; Mr. Smith.

ROW 1: Tom Schultz, Dean Neiland, Jay Halvorson, Larry Trappe, Toby Schweikert, Bill Walter, Steve Wagner. ROW 2: Dan Tielbar, Lanny Kliefloth, Eric Smith, Jerome Wille, Laone Kishman, Marvin Hill, Mike Vorwald. ROW 3: Steve Larson, Jim McCune, Steve Pape, Dave Schlein, Bob Berns, Roger Winters, Brian Freilinger, Jerry Evanson. ROW 4: Pat Bollman, Tim James, Courtney Huff, Kirby Cahoon, Dave Lange, Rod Kregal, Brad Hoth, Larry Lembke, Gary Lenth. Not Pictured: Bob Green and Dave Peterson.





Mr. Wachter helps Larry and Dev square a board in shop.



Dave Schlein, Larry Trappe, and Jerome Wille proudly display the jackknives they won at the FFA Christmas party.



Tom wins conference tournament at Sumner in the 98 b. class.

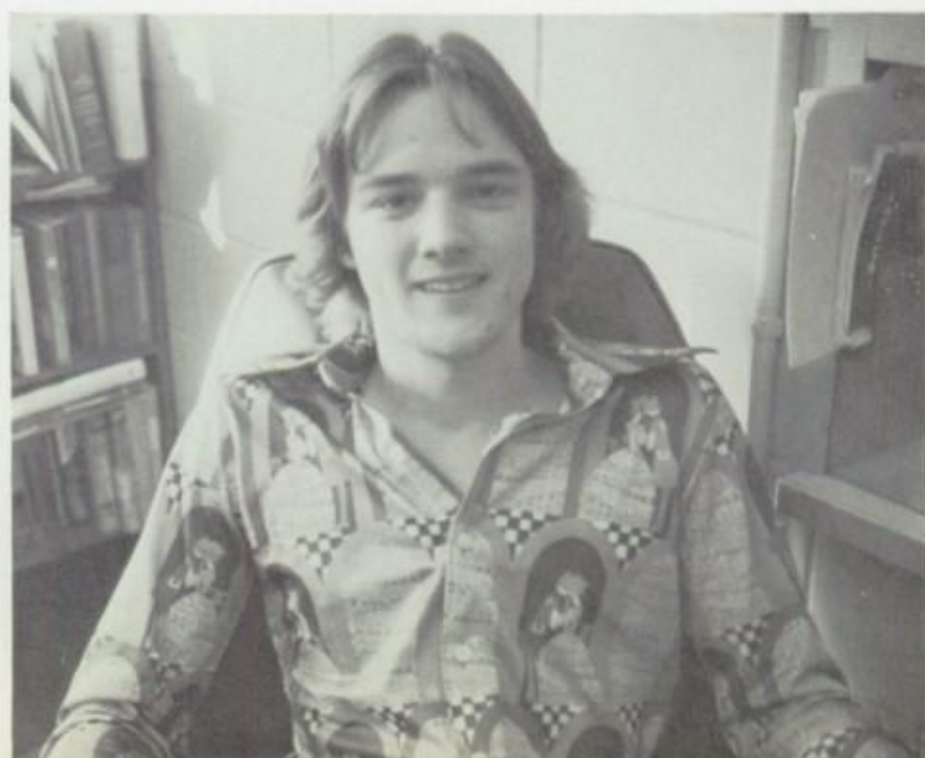


Be ready Lisa and Jill!!

Lynne sets a new school record!



Bob Green "plays Mr. Venter."



"Nights Are Forever"

M-F-L Prom

Tri-City Golf Club

April 22, 1977

It was a cool, but clear and starry night for the first M-F-L Prom at the Tri-City Golf Club. It provided a private and delightful setting for this special event.

Music by the "Little Brother" band and appropriate decorations by the Junior Class created the atmosphere for a NIGHT to remember FOREVER.

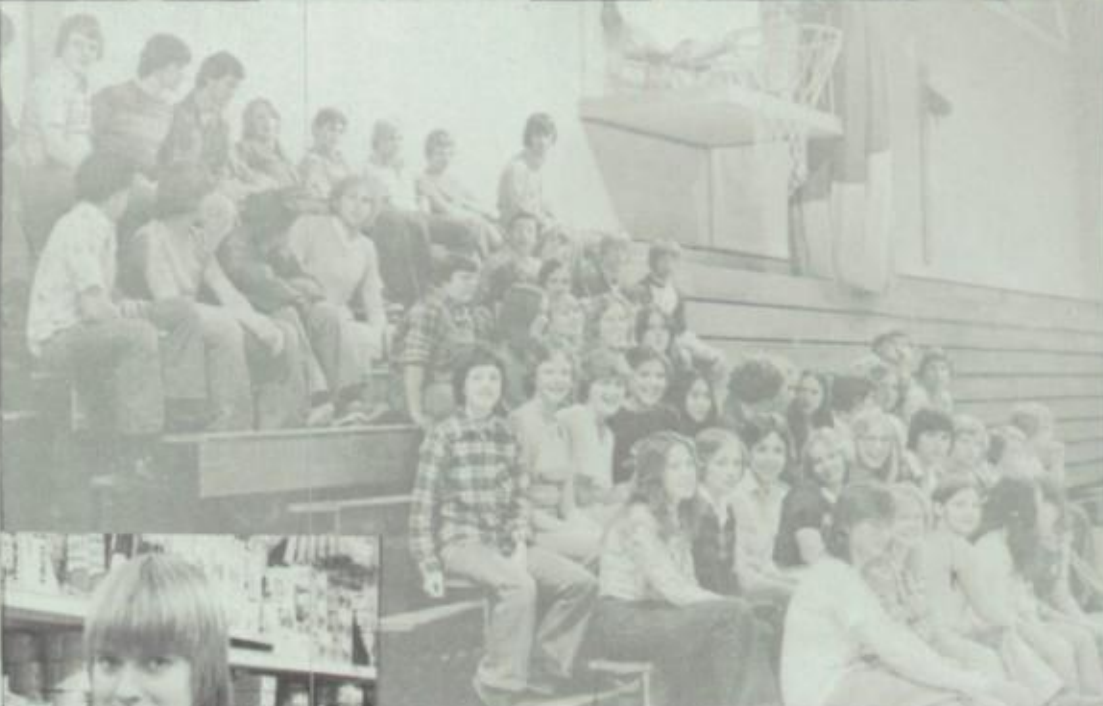
Waiters and waitresses are selected from the Sophomore class. Mary Berns, Leesa Reardon, Janelle Hanson, Kevin Blietz, Bill Kiesau and Jay Venter were this year's choice.

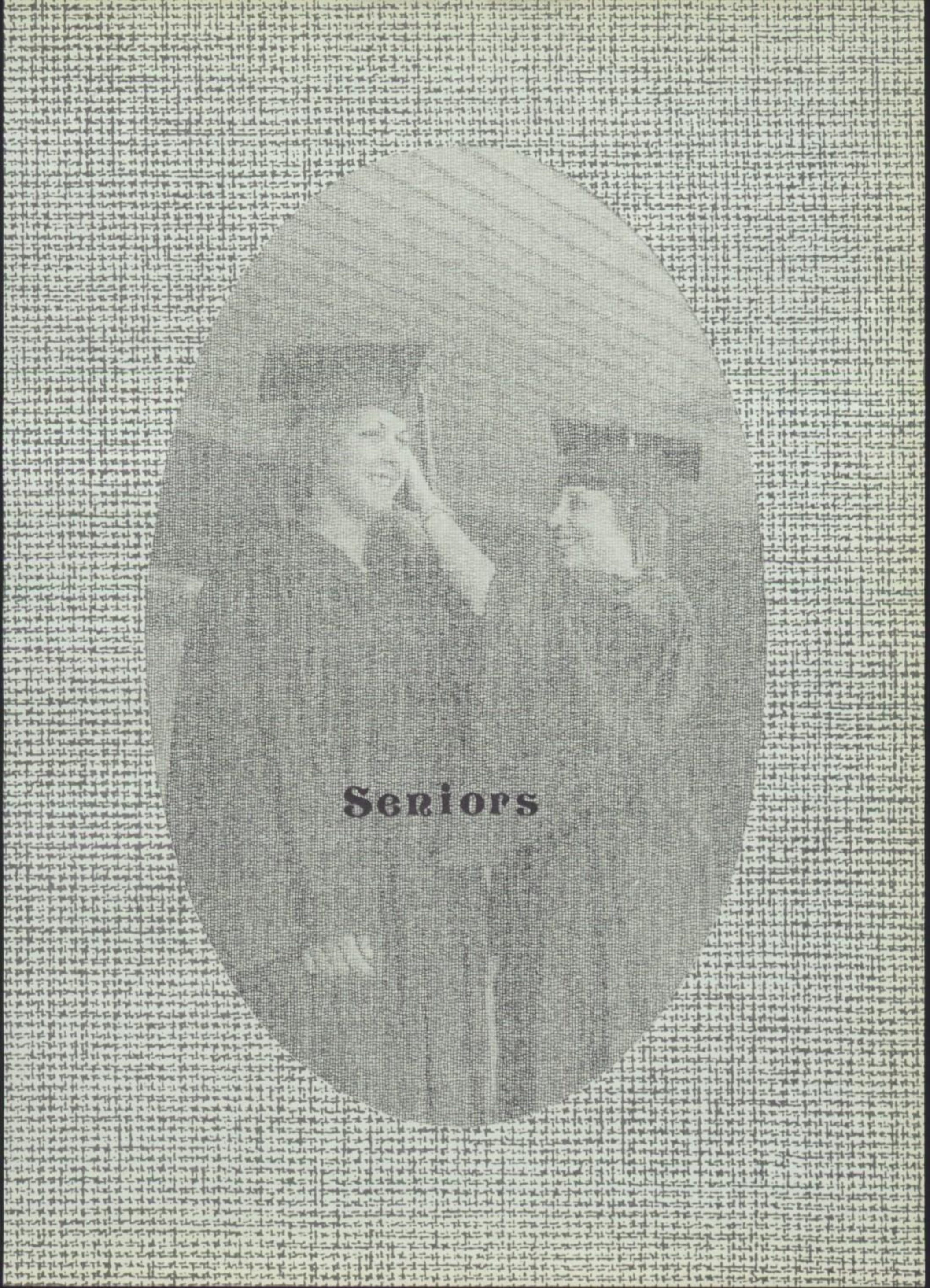
Typical of the beautifully dressed couples were Blake Radloff and Jill Balekos, Lisa Scheffert and Todd Balekos.

Students and guests took time out from dancing to hear the reading of the class prophecies by Judy Johnson and Kevin Johnson.





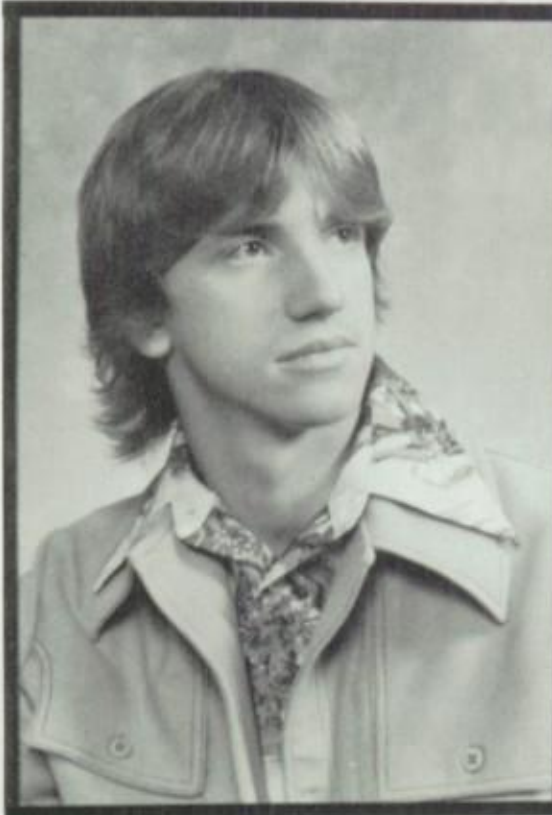




Seniors

Class of 1977

The First in Century Three



Mick Ferguson

President
November 4
No one is entirely useless. Even the worst of us may serve as horrible examples.



Scott Kirkeberg

Vice-President
December 9
If they ever put a tax on good sense, some of us will get a refund.



Larry Meyer

Treasurer
December 26
My funny face brightens your day!

Lynn Kann

Student Council
January 27
You grow up the day you have your first laugh-at yourself.

Chris Houg

Student Council
November 7
My life will be a short one.

Cathy Kuma

Secretary
December 9
The trouble with good advice is that it usually interferes with your plans.



Class Motto

Do not walk in front of me, for I may not follow
 Do not walk behind me, for I may not lead.
 Just walk beside me and be my friend.

Class Flower

Yellow Rose

Class Colors

Green and Light Green



Jim Olson

January 1
 I never let my studies interfere
 with my education.

Darwin Funk

January 9
 If you want to put the world
 right, start with yourself.

Cindy Havelick

January 10
 A little nonsense now and then
 never hurt anyone.

Tammy Muller

January 13
 What I must do, and not what
 people think, is all the concerns
 me.

Loren Plozel

January 18
 There are only two great men on
 this earth, Super Man and Me!

Vickie Landt

January 15
 I'd like to go to heaven, but I
 want to be with my friends.



Linda Hertrampf

January 22
Someone that brings me happiness is Donnie.



Julia Grove

January 28
Nothing is harder to do secretly than stub your toe.



Brenda Begalske

February 7
Man can live without a brother but not without a friend.



Jane McCune

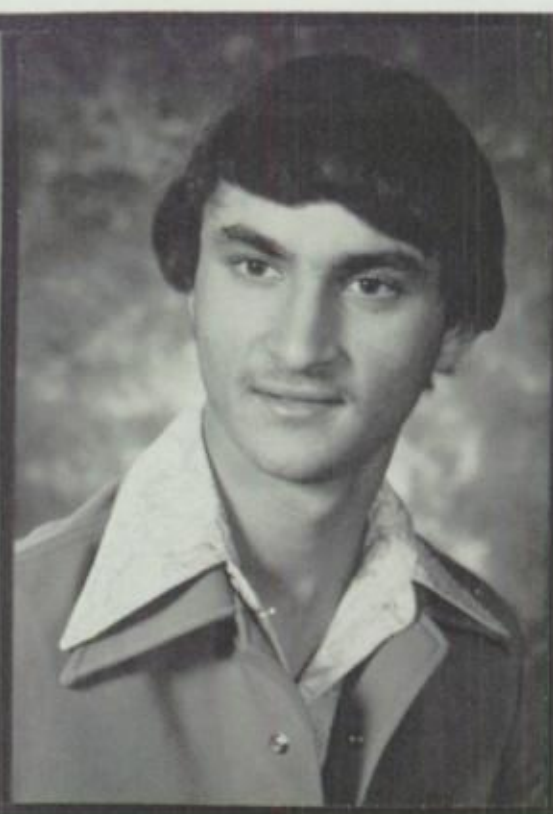
February 1
Jane Fonda isn't as cute as she used to be either.

Dave Olds

February 11
Help my words to be gracious and tender today, for tomorrow I may have to eat them.

Todd Balekos

March 1
He who turns the other cheek too far gets it in the neck.



Linda Baade

March 14

If everyone were put on earth for a reason, then why is it no one knows what they're doing.

Rogeta Knockel

March 18

I have yet to be bored by someone paying me a compliment.

Becky Wirkler

March 24

Smiles are the song of the heart.

Lonnie Schliher

March 31

Never try to make anyone like yourself-you know, and God knows that one of you is enough.

Bill Schmidt

April 13

They don't call me "Bull" for nothing.

Carol Baskerville

April 16

Daisies bloom where they find room and this is true of people, too.



Dan Schofield

April 24
todo saldra' enla coladra.

Mark Turner

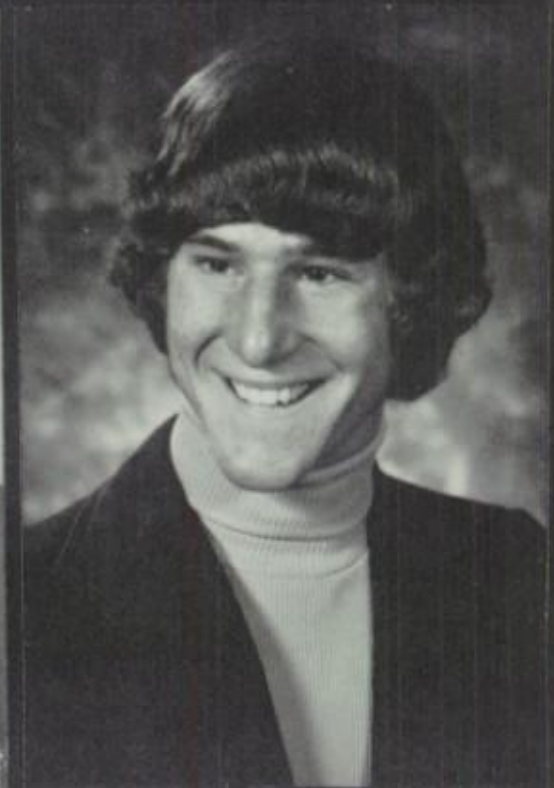
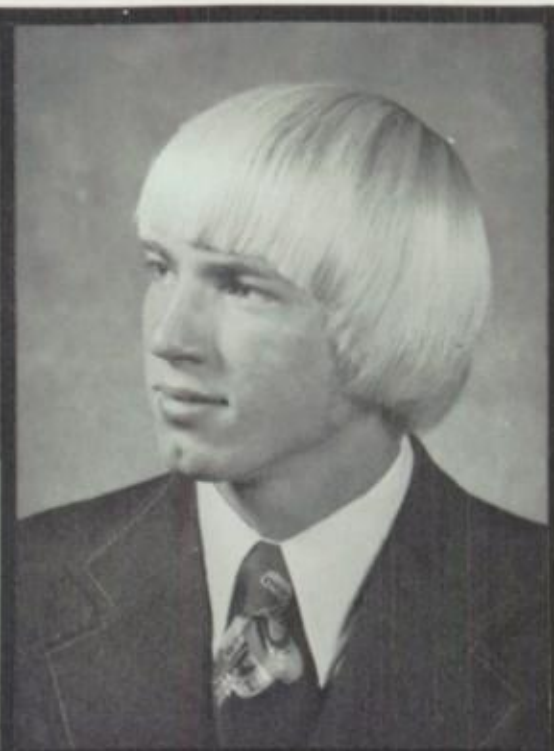
April 30
I am not conceited, though I do
have every reason to be.

James Smola

April 14
It is a mistake to look too far
ahead. Only one link in the
chain of destiny can be handled
at a time.

Steve Cox

May 28
Look out world, you ain't seen
nothing yet!



Shelle Havelick

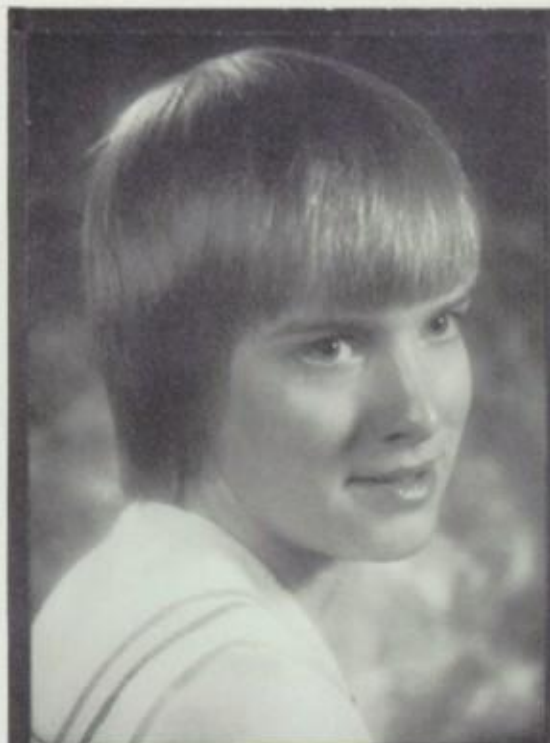
May 26
Always hold your head up-but be
careful to keep your nose at a
friendly level.

Bettina Muller

May 20
(exchange student from Ger-
many)
Weich ist stärker als Hart,
Wasser ist stärker als Stein,
Liebe ist stärker als Gewalt.

Steve Thompson

May 6
I'll manage.



Brenda Walch

June 10

Experience is a thing which can not be bought with other people's money.



Cathy Schoulte

June 17

I finally got it all together—but I forgot where I put it.



Jeff Mohs

June 19

People are like wine—age sours the bad and improves the good.



Luann Miller

June 19

Always forgive your enemies; nothing annoys them so much.



Carla Johannsen

June 21

To know things as they are is better than to believe things as they seem.



Janet Donlon

June 21

Some people think of me as a devil woman, but really heaven is missing an angel.



Rex Ewing

June 21

Be good. If you can't be good, be careful. If you can't be careful, don't do it.

Richard Moose

July 5

Tell someone a joke he already has told you. If he laughs, he's a real friend.

Denise Rothmeyer

June 26

If I cannot do great things I can do small things in a great way.

Jodi Fuelling

July 21

My mind is already made up!
Don't confuse me with the facts.

John Augustine

July 21

It's better to be silent and thought a fool, than to speak up and erase all doubt.



Gweneth Gordon

July 13

Who said shy people don't have fun!

Janet Thompson

July 13

The moment may be temporary, but the memory is forever.

Julie Goettler

July 13

If you make two people happy, be sure one of them is you.



Trudy Rose

August 7

There is no gathering the rose
without being pricked by the
thorns.



Lester Wright

August 6

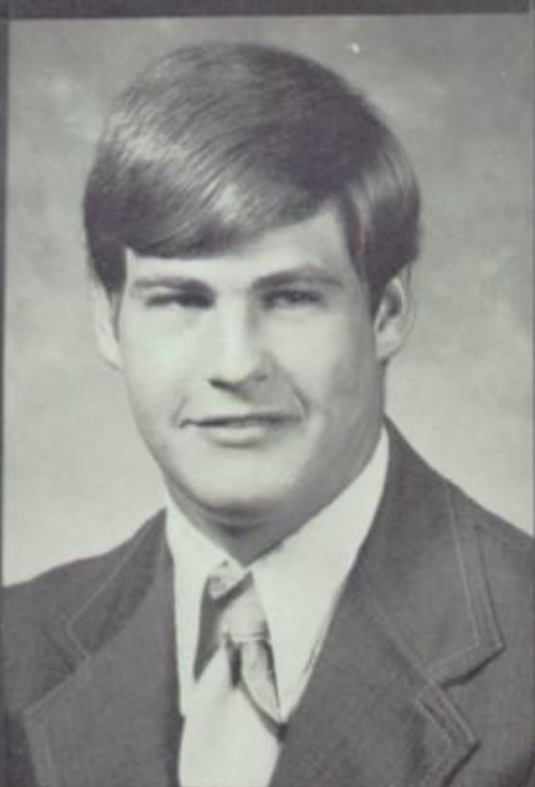
Even though I'm wrong, I'm
always Wright.



Sandy Reeg

August 15

The only way to have friends is
to be one.



Dan Moon

August 19

A will, is a dead give away.



Kim Wirkler

August 28

Love me, love my dog.



Dang Van Anh

August 17

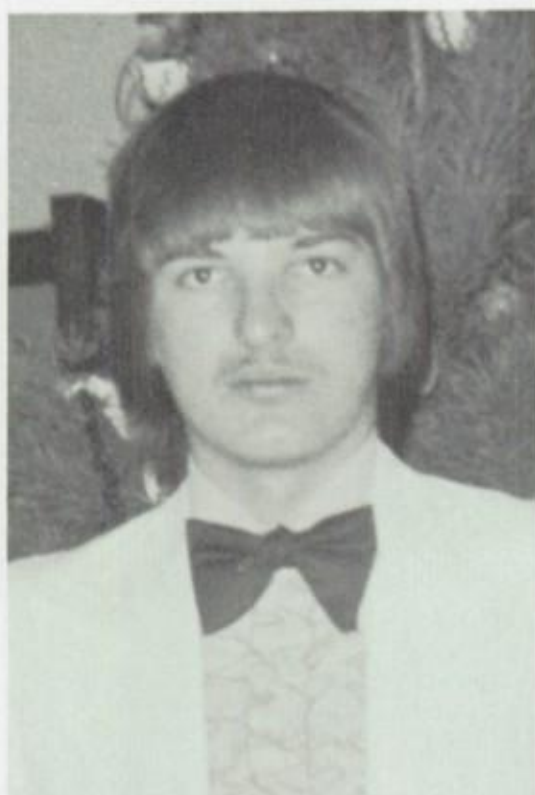
Better to let'em wonder why
you talked than why you did.



Laurel Klinkenberg

August 25

Life is like a piano—it all depends
how you play it.



Jeff Hagensick

August 21, 1959

With his laughter he put new life into many dead Mondays. He could disrupt a whole class with his quick-witted comments . . . then, in the next moment be a serious student with the most intelligent answers . . . and at the end of the day become a rugged athlete. He wasn't perfect—none of us are—but he was himself and he touched so many people's lives with happiness through his own.

Jeff collapsed on Thursday, March 25, at track practice. He died on March 27, 1976 at the age of 16 years, 7 months, and 6 days.

The Jeff Hagensick Memorial Trust Fund was set up by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hagensick, from the memorials given. This is a grant awarded to the senior athlete who contributed the most to the boy's basketball team.



Eugene Mueller

August 20

When some people put in their two cents worth, they have change coming.

Linda Miene

September 19

God gave all innocent people blond hair and blue eyes.



Janette Brown

September 18

There's nuts in every "Snitker" bar.

Mary Wagner

September 21

My interest is in the future, because I'm going to spend the rest of my life there.



Denise Gehring

October 2

Smiles cost nothing and are worth so much.

Linda Hass

October 14

The more you know, the more you don't know.

Debbie Sass

October 6

Don't pass up temptation it may never come again.



LuAnn Kammerer

August 11

Set me adrift in a sea of hope and I'll set my sail for a new horizon.

Lorrie Sweet

October 11

May we look forward with pleasure and backward without regret.

Amy Kruse

October 18

A smile is the light in the window of your face that tells everyone that your heart is home.

Duana Kishman

October 22

It's better to sleep on what you intend doing, than stay awake over what you've done.

Al Berns

October 30

Anybody who doesn't cut his speed at the sight of a police car is probably parked.

Jan Seitz

November 20

It isn't what you know that counts, it's what you think of in time.

Steve Possehl

October 20

If it weren't for tall people like me, you wouldn't be so DARN short.

Dennis Wagner

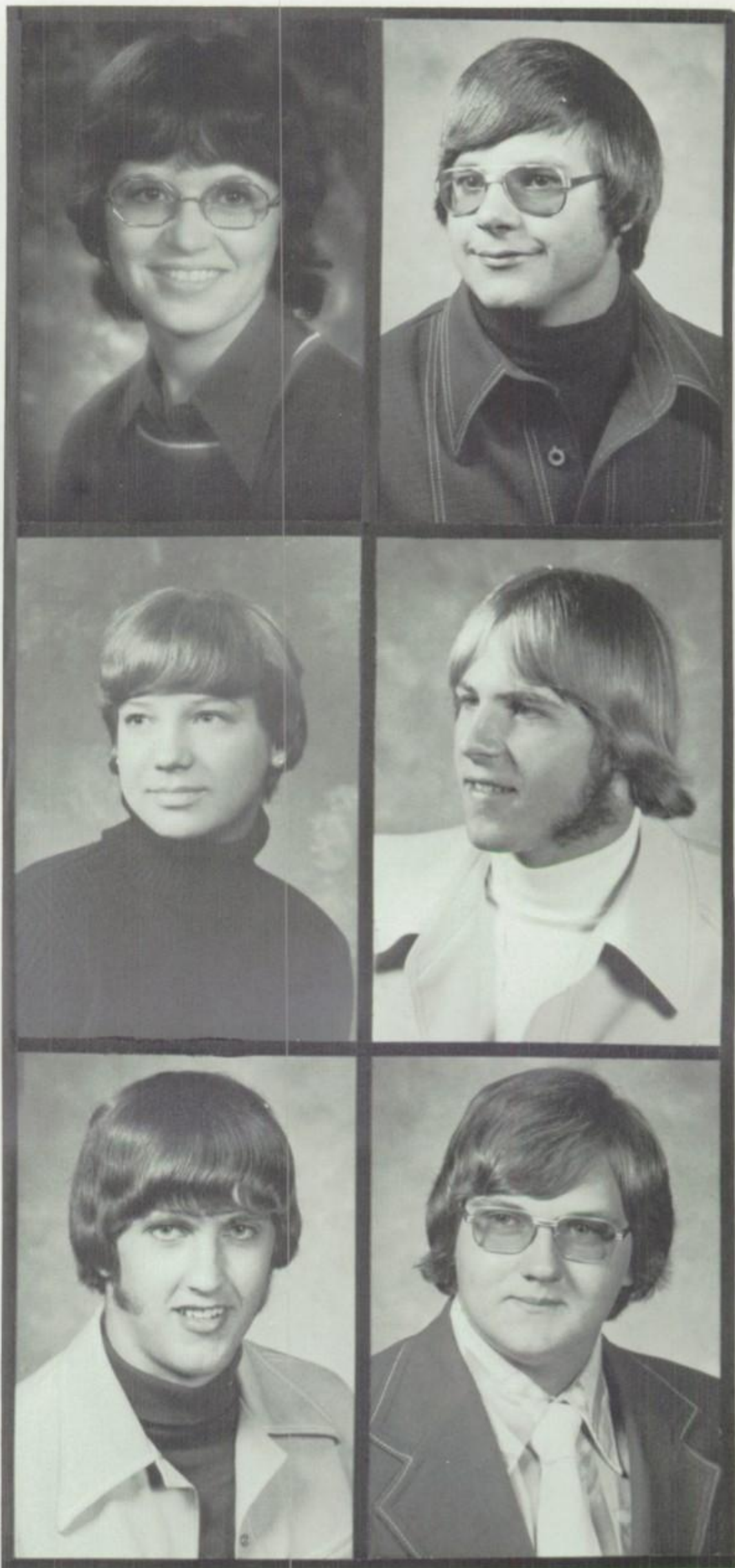
November 24

Think twice before you act—Unless the strain is too great.

Bill Fuelling

November 24

He who gets too big for his britches, will be exposed in the end.





Loren Landt

December 8
There is only one town for me,
Copenhagen.

Lawrence Levenhagen

November 21
If it weren't for the last minute,
alot of things wouldn't get done.

Greg Tangeman

August 21
"Keep on Truckin'."



Vannessia Vangen

December 14
I know so little, but I speak it so
fluently.

Lori Tielbar

December 16
I used to be conceited, but now
I'm perfect.



Cindy Bissell

December 15
Daydreaming—the remembrance
of last night and the knowledge
of tonight.



And Now for Something Completely Different

Senior Class Night A.N. Busse Auditorium May 16, 1977



Steve



No one expects the Spanish Inquisition!



Senior Band

Paws

Blue Ribbon Awards (below)

Beach Girls (below)

Twitt of the Year

Carnack (below)





Girls Chorus



At the Show

Reading of class wills by Julie and Trudy



The New Fig Newton Dance line



Backrub

the Hills Brothers

Hee Haw

lly Valley and the Three Seasons (below)

Too-Fat Polka (below)



Commencement

[May 19, 1977

A.N. Busse Auditorium

PROCESSIONAL....."Pomp and Circumstance" - Elgar
Audience remains seated Mr. Thomas James

INVOCATION Reverend Raymond Pacholke
Audience rise

MUSICAL SELECTION "Passacaille" - A. Barthe
Woodwind Quintet
Luann Miller Kim Wirkler Sandy Reeg
Linda Baade Cathy Klima

INTRODUCTION OF CLASS PRESIDENT
BY SUPERINTENDENT CLAYTON RIDOUT
"In the Beginning" Sandy Reeg
"The In-Between Years" Amy Kruse
"The Big 4" Lester Wright
"From Now On" Jim Olson
Comments by Class President Mick Ferguson

JEFF HAGENSICK MEMORIAL TRUST PRESENTATION
By Mr. Duane Hagensick & Mr. Wayne Venter

PRESENTATION OF CLASS OF "1977" to
Mr. Jerome Schultz
Chairman of M-F-L School Board

REMARKS BY MR. JEROME SCHULTZ

CALL OF THE CLASS ROLL, HONORS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS
Mr. Wayne E. Venter
Jr. High and High School Principal

MUSIC SELECTIONS Director, Mr. Fremont Ogle
High School Girls Glee and Boys Chorus
Accompanists - Mark Turner and Laurel Klinkenberg

"YOU'LL NEVER WALK ALONE" Rodgers-Stickles

"GIVE ME JESUS" Arr., L.L. Fleming

"BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC" Steffe-Wilhousky

BENEDICTION Reverend Raymond Pacholke
Audience rise

RECESSIONAL Mr. Thomas James





Mr. Ridout introduces the Class President.



Mr. Venter calls the Class Roll.

Baccalaureate, May 15, 1977

PROCESSIONAL March from "Aida"—Verdi
 INVOCATION AND PRAYER Reverend Lee Mentink
 HIGH SCHOOL MIXED CHORUS Mr. Ogle—Director
 Accompanists: Wendy Sersland and Laurel Klinkenberg
 "I Will Extoll Thee, O Lord" From Psalm 30
 "How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place" From "Requiem"
 SCRIPTURE Exodus 2:23-25; 3:1-15 Reverend Lee Mentink
 SERMON. . "The Modern Moses". . The Right Reverend Monsignor Heineman
 SAXOPHONE QUARTET. "Waltz and Scherzo" by William Presser
 Laurel Klinkenberg Denise Rothmeyer
 Lorrie Sweet Lynn Landt
 BENEDICTION Reverend Lee Mentink
 RECESSIONAL Mr. Thomas James



Father Heineman speaks to Seniors.



Steve Possehl receives the Jeff Hagensick Memorial Scholarship.



The Mixed Chorus sings at Baccalaureate.

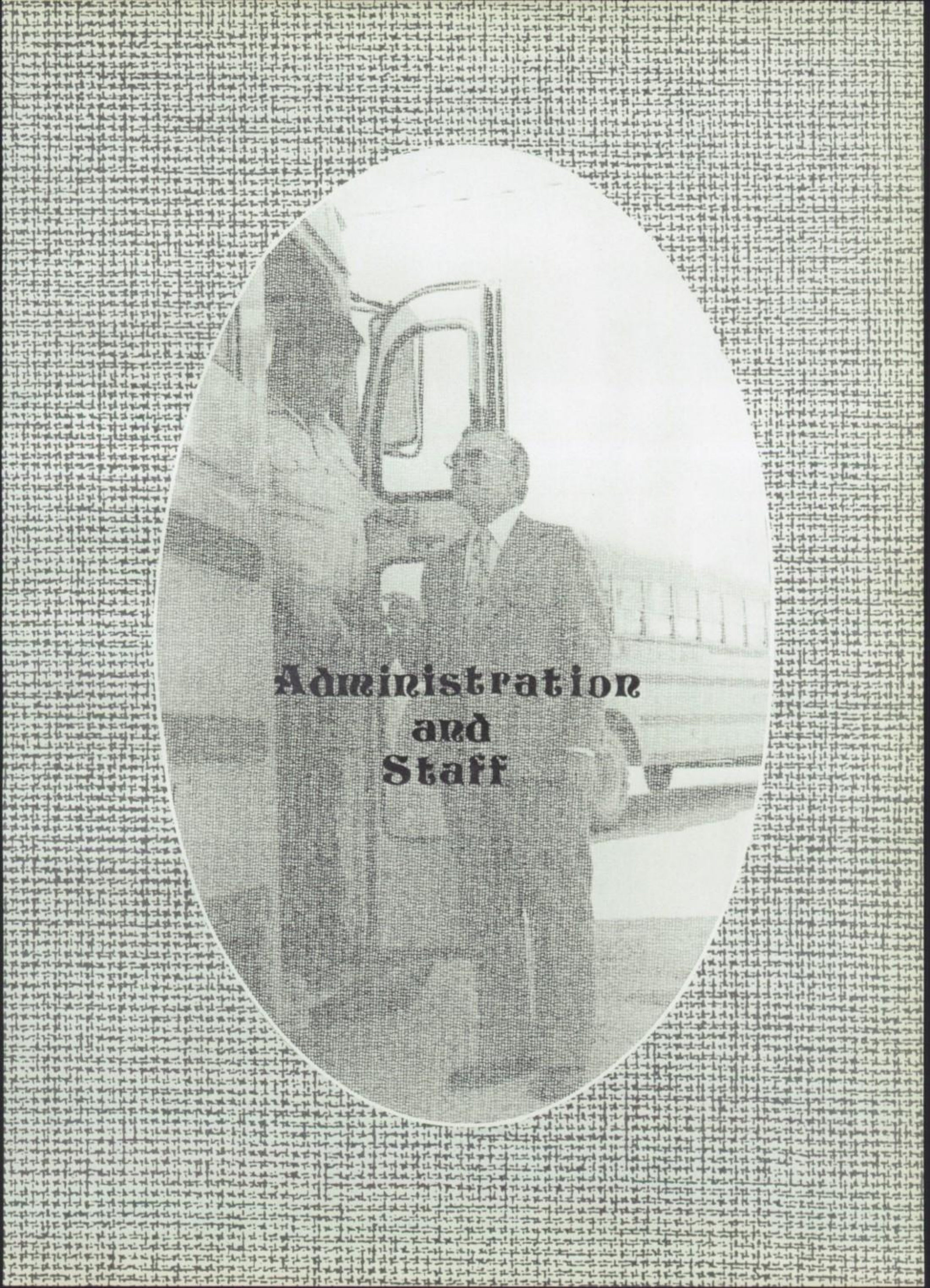
Class of 77 Receives Special Recognition: 29 of 74 Seniors Are Honor Students

ROW 1: Shelle Havelick, Becky Wirkler, Dang Van Anh, Linda Hass, Brenda Walch, Denise Rothmeyer, Lester Wright. ROW 2: Tammy Muller, Cathy Klima, Brenda Begalske, Lynn Kann, Vannessia Vangen, Luann Miller, Julie Goettler. ROW 3: Scott Kirkeberg, Mary Wagner, Sandra Reeg, Trudy Rose, Amy Kruse, Julia Grove, LuAnn Kammerer. ROW 4: Bettina Muller, Laurel Klinkenberg, Lori Tielbar, Darwin Funk, Mark Turner, Jim Olson, John Augustine, Dan Schofield.

THREE-WAY TIE FOR VALEDICTORIAN Julie Goettler, Denise Rothmeyer and Sandra Reeg all earned a grade point average of 3.97 during their high school careers.







Administration and Staff

M-F-L Board of Education: Seated—Sherri Dawson, Jerome Schultz—President, Betty Kiesau. Standing—Gerald Palas, George Heins—Secretary, Clyde Thompson.



Clayton Ridout—Superintendent



Wayne Venter—High School Principal



Roger Swanson—Elementary Principal

Harold James—Counselor



Secretaries—Velma Kuehl, Darlene Russett, Dorie Moore.





Oswald Goettler—Mechanical Drawing, Woodworking.

John Wachter—Agriculture.

Ron LaFrenz—Metal Working, Industrial Arts, Athletics.



Marian Kruse—Business, Typing & Shorthand, and Ron Fullhart—Business Training and Athletics watch Cathy Klima.

Sandra Farnham—10th English, Speech & Drama.

Almeda Boardman—9th English.

Lanny Smith—English.

Dave Sanger—Algebra, General Math, Athletics.

Terry Heald—Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry, Athletics.



Mike Healy—Sociology, Geography, Economics, Athletics.

Roger Martin—American & World History, Athletics.

James Middendorf—American Gov't, Driver Education.



Helen Martin—American Fiction & Poetry, English, Library.

Rose Turner—German I & II

Ethelyn Hermann—Elementary, Jr. & Sr. High Art.



Steve Becker—7th Science, Athletics, Lou Wiegand—8th Social Studies, Athletics, Dave Ottsen—7th Social Studies, Athletics, Jim Ernst—P.E., Athletics. Left: Ray Vangen—Sciences, Athletic Director, Walter Begalske—Sciences, Athletics.



Tom James, Band Director, gives lessons to Kim Fowler. Darrell Bridges directs the cadet band.

Wendy Hodgen—Elem. Music, Sharon Staade—Elem. Music, Fremont Ogle—Vocal Music.



Joanne Venter—7th English, Linda Sedlmayr—8th English, Bonnie James—8th Typing, 7th Math.

Jan Foels and Marydel Huinker pose in front of the new microwave for the Home Ec. department.



Sara Henkes is being instructed by SLD teachers Frances Kruse and Geraldine Ryherd.



John Waterman—Jr. High Math, Athletics. Shirley Foels, Art, helps LaRae Doerring with macrame.





Aide Arlene Knapp and Nurse Ann Keehner look over records.



Vera Pixler—Luana Aide



CUSTODIANS: Top—Theresa Schmidt, Farmersburg; Bill Baskerville, Luana. Bottom—Monona—Louis Seitz, Head; Helen Larson, Ramona Christofferson, Adeline Kottman, Gene Gilson, Bob Schmidt.



Monona cooks—Shirley Jacobson, Head; Gladys Geraghty, Leona Auterman, Elizabeth Doerring, Kay Gruber, Helen Jarms.



Luana cooks—Florence Schroeder, Gertrude Kurth, Head.



Farmersburg Head cook—Vergean Schmidt.

BUS DRIVERS: LaVern Schrader, Harvey Montour, Elmer Radloff, Terry Goltz.

Front—Dwayne Lamker, Steve Russett, Virgil Kurth, Bernard Whittle, Evelyn Houg, Ivan Krueger. Back—Rowland Jones, Keith Mohs, LeRoy Hoth, A.D. Whittle, Gary Hoth, Doug Baade, Ronnie Blumhagen, J.J. Matthews, Elmer Shady.



We Thank . . .

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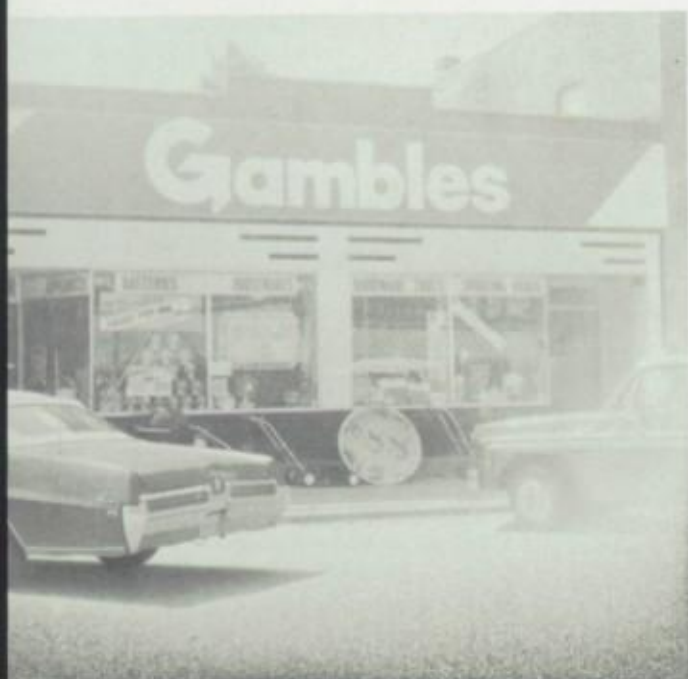
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